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REVOLUTION BREAKS OUT IN RUMANIA

Greek Navy Goes Into Action, Sinks Sub

ITALIAN ROUT CONTINUES ON LAND FRONTS

Greeks Hail First Naval Victory

By The Associated Press

ATHENS—Greek forces smashed stubbornly resisting Italians at many points along the Albanian front Saturday and made gains of "considerable depth," the high command reported Saturday night, while at sea the destroyer Aetos was reported to have sunk an Italian submarine for Greece's first naval victory of the war.

On the northern wing of the front, the high command said, Greek soldiers occuping Pogradetz, 20 miles above the captured Italian invasion base of Koritza, seized 15 Fascist officers and more than 200 enlisted men, along with six guns, 50 machine-guns and "a considerable number" of Howitzers.

Stiff Opposition

From Pogradetz on southward to the Adriatic coast Saturday night's communique said, the Greeks were on the offensive, but that they were meeting with stiff Italian oppisition.

The high command meanwhile reported Greek advances wrested new positions from the Italians "at various parts of the front," especially in the drive north of Konispolis, toward Porto Edda, major Fascist port of Debarkation in Albania.

Some Italian forces retreating toward Porto Edda were declared cut off farther north by Greek operations around Argirocastro, Mussolini's southern Albanian invasion base.

Troops Reinforced

(The Italians, who say they still hold Argirocastro, declared their forces held firm against Greek attacks. They reported their reinforced troops were counter-attacking north of Pogradetz, which fell to the Greeks Friday, but reports from the Yugoslav frontier said they were withdrawing toward Elbasani, in central Albania).

In the first month of the 34-day-old war, the Greek home security

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BOWL GAMES SHAPING UP

Tennessee, Boston In New Orleans Tilt

By The Associated Press

The program of football games for New Year's Day, 1941, was virtually completed Saturday when the major part of the 1940 college season came to an end.

Five of the nation's outstanding teams, three of them unbeaten and untied and one tied once but undefeated, accepted invitations to play in various Bowl games. Opponents for three of them have not yet been formally announced but indications point to Nebraska and Texas A. and M. as two of the teams that are almost certain to receive invitations to one or another of the post-season extravaganzas.

Here's the New Year's lineup as it shapes up now.

Sugar Bowl (New Orleans)—Tennessee vs. Boston College. Both have accepted.

Rose Bowl (Pasadena)—Stanford, Pacific Coast champion. Opponent not named; Nebraska appears No. 1 choice.

Orange Bowl (Miami) — Mississippi State accepted bid rather than await a possible Rose Bowl invitation. Opponent not named; Texas A. and M., Georgetown, Penn. State and Lafayette being considered. Texas Aggies, however, are considered as a possible Cotton Bowl or Rose Bowl team while Georgetown has received favorably a proposal for a Christmas Day game against Santa Clara at San Francisco.

Cotton Bowl (Dallas)—Fordham vs. opponent to be named Monday by Southwest Conference faculty members; Texas Aggies appear to be first choice while Rice and Southern Methodist also considered.

Sun Bowl (El Paso) — Arizona State of Tempe, Border Conference champions, probably against western team to be named.

Postmaster Orders 6000 Aspirin Tabs

DALLAS —(AP)— Postmaster J. Howard Payne prepared for the Christmas rush by requisitioning 6,000 aspirin tablets which will be kept in first-aid kits for the use of postal workers.

Camacho Assassination Plot Foiled; One Slain

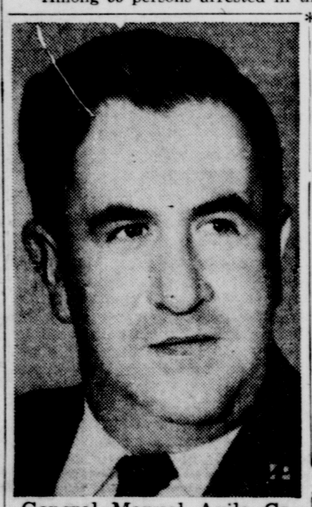
Communists Blamed On Inauguration Eve; Plotters Kill Officer Leading Raid

By The Associated Press

MEXICO CITY—Soldiers and police stood guard at strategic points in the city Saturday night following military action to prevent a rumored plot to assassinate President-elect Manuel Avila Camacho at his inauguration Sunday.

Investigation of the rumor resulted in the death of Major Guillermo Garcia Gallegos Friday night in a volley of gunfire when he led a detail of soldiers in a raid on a meeting, which police described as "subversive," at Communist offices.

Among 55 persons arrested in the raid was Ester Chapa, who holds a responsible position in the department of interior. A cache of three rifles, 15 pistols, a bomb and a quantity of cartridges was seized, police said. A second shooting in which a detective was wounded occurred in a suburb where police raided a private home for hidden arms. Four more persons were arrested.



General Manuel Avila Camacho today at 11 a. m. becomes President Camacho—less than 48 hours after a plot to assassinate him was foiled by government officers. The leader of the raid upon Communist plotters was killed.

No Disturbances Expected

Despite the sensation caused by the reported plot, the inauguration of Avila Camacho is expected to go forward without more than minor disturbances, Assistant Chief of Police Cesar Lara asserted. He said Friday night's incident was of no real importance or significance."

Henry A. Wallace, United States vice president-elect will represent his country as a special ambassador at the ceremonies, scheduled for 11 a.m. (CST). In the chamber of deputies.

Wallace's arrival in the capital early Friday was marred by a demonstration of more than 200 followers of General Juan Almazan, over whom Avila Camacho won a disputed victory in July's elections.

Embassy Stoned

Shouting 'Viva Almazan—Down with Wallace," they stoned the American embassy. Wallace, however was not molested.

Police were understood to be investigating whether the demonstration and the subsequent stoning of George Washington's statue here were inspired by Communists.

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Inauguration Of Camacho Set For 11 A. M.

MEXICO CITY — (AP) — A quiet-mannered veteran of one of Mexico's two major revolutions and of numerous rebellions will assume Sunday the task of uniting a nation badly divided by a turbulent presidential campaign.

Solid, sober, conservative, 43-year-old General Manuel Avila Camacho will be inaugurated as the republic's 46th president, succeeding his long-time friend and current backer, Lazaro Cardenas.

On husky Avila Camacho's bull-like shoulders and imperturbable temper will rest the burden of solving the complex economic and political problems, such as the oil expropriation controversy, left him by his predecessor and of consolidating the social advances of Cardenas' radical administration.

Has Right Temperament

The incoming president's friends, and even his critics, say he is suited by temperament and experience for this difficult task.

Renunciation of all presidential claims by General Juan Andreu Almazan, unsuccessful independent candidate, has apparently liquidated the possibility that the president-elect might have to defend his government on the battlefield.

But the battlefield hardly would have been a new experience for him. Avila Camacho rose to the

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Snow Plows Called

RATON, N. M.—(AP)—From northeastern New Mexico Saturday came pleas for aid of highway crews to open drifts that accumulated during a record snow storm last week-end.

U. S. BUSINESS MAY SHATTER ALL RECORDS

But Rising Taxes For New Year Feared

(See Babson, Page 5)

By FRANK MAC MILLEN

NEW YORK—(AP) —American industry whirled along at the swiftest pace in a decade this week, but business men appeared increasingly preoccupied with problems presented by a war-geared economy.

Taxes, inventories, prices, wages, all came in for discussion as business moved steadily toward a new year appeared certain to set historic production records.

No Retroactive Taxes

When Senator Pat Harrison revealed the administration at Washington had decided no further taxes retroactive to 1940 would be sought from congress, the news seemed only to have emphasized the fact that 1941 levies would surpass even present high rates. Some Washington quarters predicted an effort to raise $10,000,000,000, a peace-time high, by taxation next year.

To rising taxes, was being added the problem of pouring into the man of the hungry industrial machine, the fodder of raw and semi-finished materials necessary to keep up and increase its present rapid tempo.

What this means to thousands of factories, and to the markets for many kinds of industrial raw products, was indicated by the monthly survey of the national association of purchasing agents, whose members are responsible for the buying policies of a good part of the country's leading concerns.

End Not In Sight

"Opinion persists," the association said, "that . . . the haste to furnish supplies, ammunition and equipment for defense and armament purposes has many months yet to run in this country.

"Consequently, in most lines of industry, buyers cannot afford to do otherwise than have essential production materials covered well through the first half of next year, and in certain items the sooner these purchases are made the better, even though rapidly changing price structures are not anticipated in the immediate future.

"Higher production costs, which

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Woman, Grandchild Hit By Automobile

SAN JUAN—Struck by an auto in Mexiquito here Saturday about 7:15 p.m. as they crossed the street, Mrs. Maria Garcia and a grand daughter, were reported in a "not serious" condition at McAllen Municipal Hospital later.

State patrolmen said the car which hit the couple was driven by W. C. Fack, Pharr. The accident occurred two and one-half blocks north of the railroad tracks here.

BOGGESS IS FLOWN HERE

50-Mile Trek Beset By Wolf Pack

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BROWNSVILLE — Ray D. Boggess, Houston finance company executive, arrived here Saturday by plane from Victoria, Mexico, after being lost three days without food and water in the wilds of La Guna Island.

Boggess was a member of a Gulf of Mexico fishing party that became separated last Sunday when wind sent the party's yacht out to sea.

The other members of the party, George Erickson, Galveston; Carleton Boggess, and Denzil Hollis, both of Houston, were found safe Thursday. W. B. Nolan, of Houston, was rescued from the boat at sea by a U. S. destroyer and was landed at Galveston.

The elder Boggess, hatless and

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US 4-Motor Bomber Due In Brownsville On Flight To Coast

BROWNSVILLE—A four-motored bomber of the B-17 type, which left Hamilton Field, California, about 12:20 a. m. Saturday on a non-stop training flight to Atlanta, Ga., is expected to stop in Brownsville on return flight.

The navigation check flight, expected to find the bomber landing in Atlanta by noon, was to continue from there to Tampa, Fla., before the return flight. Capt. T. W. Steed is in command of the ship and crew of 10.

Daisy Is Ill

One Siamese Twin Has Breakdown

MINNEAPOLIS—(AP)—Daisy Hilton, unmarried member of the only set of Siamese twins in America, is ill.

Daisy was stricken with appendicitis and a nervous collapse Thursday night in Tomah, Wis. The twins—both of them, of course—are confined in a Tomah hotel under care of Dr. T. J. Sheehy. Violet, Daisy's twin, is not ill, Dr. Sheehy said.

The Hilton sisters are 32 years old. They were born in Texas and have appeared in vaudeville since they were three years old. They recently have made their headquarters in Minneapolis.

An explosion trapped 31 miners at the Ohio & Pennsylvania Coal Co.'s Nelms shaft five miles east of Cadiz, Ohio. This picture shows the company's office and entrance to the mine, where rescuers were trying to reach entombed men.

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NEW CAVE-INS BALK RESCUE

31 Ohio Miners Are Lost, Is Feared

By The Associated Press

CADIZ, O. — A new hazard, constant roof cave-ins, Saturday night further hampered weary mine crews trying to break a path to 31 or 32 trapped coal miners already given up for dead.

One body was taken Saturday morning from the Ohio and Pennsylvania Coal Company's Nelms mine, rocked Friday by an explosion, but there were indications the remainder would not be reached before Monday night or Tuesday. Until then the exact death toll will not be known.

Company officials outwardly maintained the mine tradition that there always is hope, but relatives and mine inspectors agreed with John Owens, Ohio district United Mine Workers' union president, that "there's no question but that all are dead."

Besides the roof cave-ins, which showered heavy rock around rescue crews, deadly gas permitted the men to work in the deep pits only for brief periods.

Owens blamed the explosion on gas, declared it would not have happened had there been an adequate air supply and charged that "this catastrophe could have been prevented if we had adequate inspection and regulation of mines."

US October Income Highest Since 1930

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The Commerce Department said Saturday that October income payments to individuals amounted to $6,671,000,000 and were the highest for any month since May, 1930.

With good business indicated for the remainder of the year, the department said, the total of such payments for 1940 is expected to exceed $74,000,000,000. This would compare with $70,000,000,000 last year and the 1929 record of $82,885,000,000.

Aluminum Strikers Get Wage Increase

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill.—(AP)—Settlement of the 5-week-old strike of 1,190 workers at the Aluminum Ore Company plant here was announced Saturday by William F. White, United States conciliation commissioner.

White said the agreement provided wage increases ranging from 2 to 5 cents an hour for all employes.

U.S. Lends 100 Millions To China; Ignores Japan Pact

New Treaty With Puppet Chinese Ruler Is Virtual Surrender Of All China

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The United States pointedly made clear its attitude toward the Tokyo-Nanking "peace" treaty Saturday by reaffirming its recognition of Chiang Kai-Shek's anti-Japanese government and announcing a $100,000,000 credit to it.

With the ink hardly dry on the pact signed at Nanking by Japanese Ambassador General Nobuyuki Abe and Wang Ching Wei, recognized by the Japanese as president of a national government of China, there were these developments here:

First, Secretary of State Hull said at his press conference that of course the United States continued to recognize Chiang Kai-Shek's Chungking administration as the government of China.

Secondly, President Roosevelt announced that two $50,000,000 credits to Chungking were "contemplated."

KAI-SHEK OFFERS CASH REWARD FOR WANG

CHUNGKING, China—(AP)—The National Government of China offered a reward of 100,000 Chinese dollars ($6,000) Saturday for Wang Ching-Wei, head of the Japanese-recognized Nanking government, "for usurping the presidency and signing with the enemy a treaty detrimental to China's sovereignty."

One, to be made by the Export-Import Bank and to be repaid in shipments of strategic materials, will be for the Chiang Kai-Shek's administration's "general purposes" such as keeping its army of 2,500,000 in the field.

The other allocation will be from the treasury's $2,000,000,000 stabilization fund. The President said this sum was "for purposes of monetary protection and manage-

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Mob At Gatesville Breaks Up Meeting

GATESVILLE —(AP)— Deputy Sheriff T. W. Lilljedahl said a group of citizens broke up a convention of Jehovah's Witnesses here Saturday night and seized and burned literature and benches which were thrown from the second story meeting place.

Lilljedahl said the approximately 150 delegates had been warned to leave town following several fist fights during the afternoon.

New Dictator

Paraguay President Takes Over

ASUNCION, Paraguay — (AP) — President Higinio Morinigo followed up his ouster of Lieut. Col. Ramon Paredes, former "strong man" of Paraguay, and other officials of his cabinet with a proclamation Saturday saying he had decided to assume all government powers to push forward the "Paraguayan revolution."

This phrase was first used by Morinigo's precedessor, Jose Felix Estigarribia, when he dissolved the congress and initiated a dictatorial government.

Estigarribia was killed in an airplane crash last September and Morinigo succeeded him to serve the unexpired term.

U. S. SALES TAX TURNED DOWN

Installment Plan To Pay For Defense?

WASHINGTON— (AP) —President Roosevelt was represented Saturday as desiring a tax program in the new Congress which would provide sufficient revenues to meet routine peacetime expenditures, plus annual installment payments on extraordinary defense outlays.

This broad objective was reported to have been laid down by the president to congressional and treasury fiscal experts Friday night at a White House conference on the government's finances.

Total Not Decided

Conferees who reviewed their impressions of that meeting said that while the goal had been set, there was no agreement on how much additional revenue would be needed or just how it might be obtained.

The conference did arrive at two definite conclusions — that there should be no retroactive taxation on 1940 income of individuals or corporations, and that there should be no general sales tax.

In substance, the president's general view of fiscal policies was said to be this:

He would trim non-military expenditures to bare essentials in the new budget, leaving it up to Congress to determine whether it would stay within his estimates.

Extraordinary defense spending probably would have to be financed

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Thai Forces Occupy French Indo-China After Alleged Raid

BANGKOK, Thailand—(AP)—The districts of Banongkien, Bankokekrabang and Pratuchai in French Indo-China have been occupied by Thai (Siamese) forces, and reprisal raids made against Thakhek and Savannakhet, the high command said Saturday.

Thakhek and Savannakhet, towns on the border of French Indo-China, were attacked by the Thai air force, advices said, after an alleged French bombing of Thailand.

Oslo Nazi Agents Nab Secret Radios

STOCKHOLM —(AP)— The newspaper Dagens Nyheter in an Oslo dispatch reported Saturday German authorities in the Norwegian capital had made numerous arrests in a search for operators of secret radio stations allegedly facilitating espionage activi-

Miners Are Lost Here

30 IRON GUARD SLAYERS OF 64 'KILL SELVES'

Revolt Reported In Russian Areas

BUCHAREST—(AP)— Revolution has broken out among the 4,000,000 inhabitants of Sovietized Bessarabia, a diplomatic communication received here said Saturday night, because of "public indignation over scarcity and high prices of food, fuel and medicines."

Shortly after receipt of the dispatch here all communications between Russia and Rumania were severed and no one was permitted to cross the border. An official announcement said telegraph and telephone services were "cut in Russia."

By The Associated Press

BUCHAREST—In a macabre climax to elaborate funeral services over the gold casket of Cornelieu Zelea Codreanu, the Iron Guard's "martyred captain," every one of the 30 Iron Guardists who participated in the prison assassinations of 64 persons high in King Carol's former regime were reported reliably Saturday night to have "committed suicide."

At the same time, a diplomatic communication reaching strife-torn Bucharest said revolution had broken out among the 4,000,000 inhabitants of Bessarabia, the territory Rumania ceded to Russia last June 27. Wide-spread deaths and injuries were reported there.

"Mass Suicide Pact"

The 30 Iron Guards who broke into Jilava prison this week and began their revenge blood purge against those whom they held responsible for Codreanu's death two years ago Saturday were said to have "taken revolvers from a table and put bullets through their hearts after making a mass suicide pact."

Comparative calm reigned all day throughout Rumania, but nearly 100,000 Iron Guards headed Saturday night for Alba-Julia, ancient seat of Rumanian kings, where a demonstration for the return of

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VOICE FROM TOMB SPEAKS AT RITES

BUCHAREST —(AP)— After the golden casket of Corneliu Codreanu, Iron Guard "Martyr," was lowered into its sepulchre Saturday, the master of funeral rites announced dramatically to the mourners:

"Now we will hear the captain himself speak to his people from on high."

Immediately, from the depths of the tomb, came the voice of Codreanu:

"The Iron Guard must make sacrifices! The Iron Guard must endure all persecution, because in the end we shall be triumphant! Those who have persecuted us will be blasphemed by all generations which follow me."

It was a phonograph record of an old speech by Codreanu.

Dies Broadcast Is Set Monday Night

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Chairman Dies (D-Tex) of the House committee investigating un-American activities will deliver a radio speech Monday night entitled "My Report To The Nation," it was announced Saturday night. The speech will be broadcast by the NBC Blue network from 6:30 to 7 p.m.

Jap-Sino Peace Pact Is Seen As Gesture

CHUNGKING, China —(AP)— The peace pact signed by Japan and the Japanese-dominated government of Wang Ching-Wei at Nanking was described by spokesmen of the Chungking government as "a performance obviously for Japanese domestic consumption only."

"If this step would make any difference in China's ability to resist Japan," the spokesman said, "then the Japanese would have taken it long ago."

Crowd Won't Budge From Bombed Movie Till Villain Named

LONDON—(AP)—A bomb blew out the electric supply of a London movie theater Friday night while the audience was sitting on the edge of the seats watching a murder mystery thriller.

The manager got up on the stage and told the audience the rest of the movie could not be shown.

The audience refused to go home until he told them who had committed the murder.

Horses Now Living In France's Maginot Line

Alsatians Turning Against Vichy, But Revolt Spreads In Other Areas Of France

By CHARLES S. FOLTZ, Jr.

BASEL, Switzerland — (AP) — Horses are living in the Maginot Line and the stock of the Vichy government is lower, perhaps, in Alsace than in any other part of France, travelers from the "lost province" reported Saturday night.

Alsatian newspapers, publishing an announcement of the German security police, warn of "protective custody for saboteurs and greasy sparrows," and cite these examples:

Three Alsatians taken into "protective custody" for trying to break up a public meeting of the Nazi party.

A factory worker and a woodcutter taken into "acute custody"—apparently one grade tighter than the "protective" variety—because they "besmeared a public building with placards hostile to Germany."

The Germans, despite such occasional trouble, seem to have a comparatively easy time running Alsace.

French speaking inhabitants who left their homes before the armistice or have since been ordered out by the Germans, are, of course, vocal against the German occupation. The average German-speaking Alsatian peasant, however, is busy on his farm, fighting a battle against weeks of undergrowth.

Fortifications of the Maginot Line are serving as stables and barns and, in some cases, even as homes for those whose farmhouses were blasted away by the war.

Even the Alsatians who most favored the French are disgusted now with what they say is the Vichy government's lack of interest in their cause.

CAMACHO IS INAUGURATED TODAY AT 11

New Chief Is Facing Difficult Task

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top in an era when politically ambitious young men made their way by fighting in the nation's frequent rebellions. He seemed to have a political instinct right at the outset, for he always fought on the winning side.

Still A Soldier

Today, squat, sturdy and heavy in the girth, he is still fundamentally a soldier, but he is ready to tackle any political or economic issue.

As minister of national defense under Cardenas, Avila Camacho in two years won prominence for modernizing the army and making it one of the finest educational institutions in Mexico. Schools were established at which ambitious soldiers could even obtain degrees in medicine, engineering and law.

This emphasis of a soldier on education did not surprise the general's intimate friends. They knew that one of his principal recreations was reading.

Is Well Read

His library is stocked with books in Spanish, French and English, all of which he reads although he does not speak English. He published a Spanish translation of a French army officer's book, "The Education of An Army In a Democracy."

In his spacious home in Mexico City's most fashionable section, Lomas De Chapultepec, Mexico's new chief executive turns to history or economics when he wants to relax with a book.

In the midst of his public responsibilities, Avila Camacho has always found time for polo. He plays a hard game, but his goal rating is low. His other principal recreation is billiards.

Wastes No Words

He converses fluently, but to the point without waste of words. At his first mass press interview, 15 foreign correspondents were unanimous in appreciation of the aptness and frankness of his answers, which nonetheless were shrewd in what they left unsaid.

The general's wife is a distinguished beauty from Jalisco State whom he married 20 years ago. Their marriage has been childless, but they recently adopted a young boy.

When not in the city the family lives on a small ranch outside the capital where Avila Camacho raises blooded horses. The general drinks sparingly and seldom plays cards.

Avila Camacho's arrival at the presidency, like that of most Mexican presidents, climaxes a journey marked by much fighting and by steady loyalty to the governments that so frequently called on him to crush rebellions.

BUSINESS MAY BREAK RECORD

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include possible wage increases, coupled with continued high level of demand, are expected to hold commodity prices at present or moderately high levels for some time to come."

Wall Street Bothered

Wall Street appeared to be having its difficulties, just as business men were, in assessing the scores of wages, cost and profit problem.

Again this week share prices, on the average, showed a modest decline while industrial activity went on to new peaks for such significant indices as automobile production, home construction, power output and freight movement.

But stock prices, as measured by the average of 60 leading issues, are 16 per cent below the top made at the beginning of this year, and have risen only 18 per cent from the market bottom made in June.

"Business Week" offered one explaination, when it said:

"Business men hold 'suspect' the current high level of industrial activity—not so much because they think this is just a transitory advance in business, but rather because they fear it will not yield profits. . . . The feeling is that higher taxes will cut into corporate profits and in that way render nugatory the increase in the volume of business."

REVOLT FLARES IN RUMANIA

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northern Transylvania from Hungary is planned for Sunday.

(Reports reaching the Hungarian frontier said the Iron Guard may be at the beginning of a bloody "total revenge" for the slaying of Codreanu. These dispatches said the country was on the verge of civil war.)

Armies On March

The tramp of marching feet echoed through Bucharest from dawn until far in the night as almost the entire Iron Guard membership turned out to bury Codreanu and his 13 slain lieutenants.

Iron Guard officials estimated some 150,000 green-shirted men and women were in the procession, led by Premier General Ion Antonescu, Vice Premier Horia Sima, and the German, Italian and Spanish ministers.

Although King Mihai was represented only by an army officer, Adolf Hitler and Benito Mussolini sent two dignitaires each. (Mihai was reported in border dispatches to have fled Bucharest as a result of the week's disorders.)

RETURN FROM CONVENTION

Rev. and Mrs. Joe Amerine, Mrs. L. V. Miller, Twila and Kenneth Miller, and Nellie Pearl Berry have returned from Dallas where they attended the Training Union convention there.

The Missing Yacht Bagheera And Her Owner

BROWNSVILLE—Ray D. Boggess, Houston finance company executive, is shown above Saturday morning at Brownsville airport following his arrival here by plane from Victoria, Mexico. Boggess, lost three days without food and water in the wilds of Laguna Madre Island, was brought here by Capt. G. "Pop" Gaither of Houston and B. G. Eubank of Brownsville. He left Saturday afternoon by plane for Houston with Capt. Gaither and Kenneth Boggess, his son.

This is the missing yacht Bagheera, owned by Ray Boggess of Houston, Tex., after the yacht was buffeted 135 miles down the Mexican coast by strong winds, three members of the Boggess party set out for shore in a skiff; the skiff capsized and Boggess went to their aid in a life raft, All reached shore, leaving W. B. Nolan aboard. Nolan was later taken off by a U. S. destroyer. Boggess was finally found and was in Brownsville Saturday. (See next picture.)

Goucher College Students Say Co-Eds Can Dress For $135 Per Year—Maybe That's Why You Never Hear Of It

BALTIMORE —(AP)— You have the word of Goucher College students that today's co-ed can get by on $135 per year for clothes. And, if papa spends more than $1,400 a year to keep darling daughter respectable, it's "just waste."

The figures are a practical answer to the question: what does it cost to clothe a co-ed?

A group of students measured the wardrobe outflow from their handbags in a clothing-budget research project. Results:

A girl can dress "adequately" on an average of $135 for her four college years.

She can dress "liberally" on $334.88.

And no queen can touch her for $1,400. That buys all this and the "heavenly," too, and there's no point in spending more.

In the $335 "liberal" budget, they reported, the main item is $89.50 for dresses. Coats and jackets cost $55.03. Cleaning and repair bills of $42.25 were the third largest expenditure.

Those hats cost $14.

Other costs were: Footwear, $30.90; suits, $13.33; blouses and skirts, $5.62; skirts an dpinafores, $6.66, sweaters, $8.75; sportswear for riding, tennis, swimming, etc., $22.20; undergarments and lounging clothes, $28.75; accessories, $17.97.

That's average expense, they explained, with any item's cost divided by its length of life. An $80 coat lasting four years means $20 a year. It's supposed to last four years. Well . . . that's what the girls said.

FEAR SNATCH OF ARMY PAY

Payroll Robbery Is Said Plotted

SALINAS, Calif—(AP)—A warning of a plot to steal the $440,000 payroll at Fort Ord brought out as many guns and guards as if an invader were threatening.

Sheriff Alex Bordges was advised by Los Angeles police to be on the lookout for a neatly dressed, swarthy man with accomplices carrying golf bags to conceal machine guns. Other warnings went to the army encampment, teeming with new activities.

The army, the sheriff's staff, city police, military police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation hastily dispatched extra guards to watch the money, which arrived in cash from San Francisco to meet the big monthly payroll for the Seventh Division troops, SRA and WPA workers.

Armed patrols cruised on adjacent roads. Army men in plain clothes, carrying rifles, walked up and down the lines of troops and civilians standing before the pay windows.

LOAN TO CHINA OKAYED BY US

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ment as between American and Chinese currencies." Presumably, it will be used to bolster the sagging Chinese currency.

Along with his statement, the chief executive made public a letter to him from Jesse H. Jones, federal loan administrator.

Jones said that in connection with the repayment of the loans, the Metals Reserve Company, a subsidiary of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation was arranging for additional purchases of wolframite, antimony and tin from China to the value of $60,000,000. Jones added that China is "up to her schedule" in deliveries of wood oil and tin to this country in repayment of previous loans amounting ot $25,000,000.

NEW TREATY IS COMPLETE SURRENDER TO JAPANESE

NANKING, China—(AP)—A "peace" treaty signed Saturday by Wang Ching-Wei and the Japanese overlords who recognize him as president of a national government of China threatens to end China's existence as an independent nation if it ever can be carried into practical effect, informed foreigners said Saturday night.

They asserted it was tantamount to complete surrender to domination by Japan—which, however, has yet to crush the government and armies of Chiang Kai-Shek (which both Britain and the United States will continue to recognize.)

Although the treaty proclaims an end to the 40-months-old Chinese war and the beginning of an era of military and economic cooperation between Wang and Japan, the Japanese expect Chiang to continue the fight.

With a few quick strokes of his writing brush, Wang signed away, insofar as he has the power to do so—economic rights of tremendous importance, and turned over to continued Japanese military occupation large areas of China while giving, also, "legal recognition" to Japanese-sponsored Manchoukuo.

Lactic Acid Hikes Female Offspring

CHICAGO—(AP)—Dr. E. Roberts of the University of Illinois told the American Society of Animal Production Saturday the use of lactic acid had been found effective in increasing the proportion of the number of female offspring in animals and that sodium bicarbonate increased the proportion of males.

BOGGESS IS FLOWN HERE

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armed only with a hunting knife, walked 50 miles through the desolate Mexican coastline country before finding help last Wednesday at La Pesca, a fishing village at the mouth of the Sota La Marina river.

His partially bald head burned to a bright crimson, Boggess told how he braved the merciless Mexican sunshine by day and the forays of wolves by night during his harrowing experience.

Wolves Don't Attack

"The wolves would come right up to me at night, but they never attacked," he said.

From La Pesca Boggess caught a ride on a peddler's truck to Victoria Thursday evening and arrived there Friday at noon. He was brought here in a plane by Capt. E. G. "Pop" Gaither of Houston and B. G. Eubank of Brownsville.

Timid Draftee Says 'Not Mad At Nazis'

CHICAGO —(AP)— Policeman Milton Bass said Saturday that Thomas Reed had admitted that he failed to register for selective service and had offered this explanation:

"I'm not mad at Germany."

Line Forms As Eggs On Sale In London

LONDON—(AP)—Egg-hungry Londoners formed a queue a quarter of a mile long at a Woolwich market Saturday when it became known that a dealer had English eggs for sale. The dealer, who appeared to have an ample stock, sold the eggs at fourpence (about seven cents) each.

Captain John C. Townley of the great British liner Queen Elizabeth, met his wife on a World war transport on which she was serving as a nurse and he as an officer.

U.S. SALES TAX TURNED DOWN

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through additional treasury borrowing, with an attendant increase in the present $49,000,000 debt limitation.

When March 15 income tax returns are tabulated along with the January returns from corporations, definite information would be available on revenues from present taxes. Estimates could be made on prospective income for the next year.

Congress then would know how much, if any, additional revenue would be required to balance the ordinary budget. In the light of these facts, it would consider the question of raising sufficient revenues to meet not only these ordinary expenses but to amortize the extraordinary defense outlays over a period of future years.

WEATHER

(Official U. S. Weather Bureau Forecast)

THE VALLEY: Mostly cloudy, colder Sunday. Monday partly cloudy and colder. Fresh shifting winds becoming northerly Sunday.

ARIZONA: Fair Sunday and Monday except partly cloudy with occasional scattered showers over mountains southeast portion Sunday. Little change in temperature.

NEW MEXICO: Partly cloudy extreme south portion and scattered cloudiness along central mountain range and Continental Divide Sunday. Otherwise generally fair Sunday and Monday. Colder east portion Sunday night.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy Sunday with scattered showers extreme southeast portion. Monday generally fair. Colder south portion Sunday night.

EAST TEXAS: Mostly cloudy, showers in east portion, colder Sunday. Monday partly cloudy, colder in southeast portion. Fresh shifting winds on the coast, becoming northerly Sunday.

KANSAS: Fair and colder Sunday; Monday, fair, somewhat warmer west portion.

OKLAHOMA: Fair and colder, much colder east and south portions Sunday; Monday, fair, coldest southeast, warmer Panhandle.

The Tides

The tides for Sunday: high tides at 2:24 a.m. and 6:18 p.m. Low tides at 10:19 a.m.

STATION	Highest last 24 hours	Lowest Night	Precipitation (inches)
Abilene	67	50	.00
Albuquerque	51	53	.00
Albany, N. Y.	36	30	.00
Atlanta	59	33	.00
Boston	37	19	.03
Chicago	30	20	.00
Cincinnati	48	31	.00
Cleveland	35	24	.02
Corpus Christi	68	63	.02
Del Rio	63	52	.00
Denver	57	34	.00
Detroit	35	25	.03
Dodge City	60	37	.00
El Paso	52	37	.00
Fort Smith	62	46	.00
Fort Worth	65	52	.00
Galveston	70	62	.01
Havre, Mont.	22	9	.02
Huron	29	15	.13
Jacksonville	62	33	.00
Los Angeles	81	57	.00
Memphis	61	50	.00
Miami	76	68	.00
Mobile	62	46	.01
New Orleans	66	55	.00
New York City	42	37	.00
Norfolk	52	43	.00
North Platte	53	29	.00
Oklahoma City	58	44	.00
Palestine	67	60	.01
Phoenix	73	47	.00
Pittsburgh	37	23	.02
Salt Lake City	50	36	.00
San Antonio	65	58	.00
Sheridan	47	32	.06
Shreveport	69	60	.00
Tampa	77	60	.00
Washington	50	29	.00
Williston	12	0	.11

FRUIT STATIONS	Highest	Lowest	Precipitation (inches)
—TEXAS—			
Brownsville (City)	75	66	.00
Br'ville Airport	78	63	.00
Harlingen	73	65	.09
Raymondville	71	63	.00
Mission	68	61	.00
Falfurrias	71	63	.00
Carrizo Springs	68	53	.00
—FLORIDA			
Bartow	75	59	.00
Belle Glade	80	62	.00
Eustis	67	51	.00
Fort Myers	82	62	.00
Gainesville	64	46	.00
Hastings	67	41	.00
Orlando	68	52	.00
—CALIFORNIA—	November 29, 1940		
Oroville	65	40	.00
Salinas	78	40	.00
Lindsay	68	32	.00
Santa Barbara	80	45	.00
Riverside	85	40	.00
Escondido	83	41	.00
Imperial	78	38	.00
* DEL MAR	67	54	

HOUSE PROBES LENDING LAW

Insurance Practice To Be Penalized?

AUSTIN —(AP)— A committee of the Texas House of Representatives Saturday recommended penal punishment for finance companies that require purchasers of property to buy insurance through the finance company or its representative as a requisite of a loan.

The group, named at the last general session of the legislature to investigate fire insurance rates and procedure of the state insurance commission, also recommended penal punishment for associations of insurance agents, organized legally for the purpose of advancing insurance as an institution, from soliciting, writing or issuing policies and retaining commissions for distribution among the membership.

Modern Miracle

Volunteer Fireman Is Saved By Bricks

MADERA, Calif.—(AP)—Given up for dead by fellow firemen who saw him plunge into the center of the blazing Madera theatre when its roof collapsed, Owen Barr, 28, escaped almost unhurt—because a wall of bricks fell on him.

Clyde Hammond, 21, on the roof with Barr, was carried to his death. The two, volunteer firemen, were helping fight the fire which razed Madera's largest film house and swept through five adjoining shops.

The startling sound of a man's voice, coming from a pile of bricks in the fiery pit of the wrecked movie house, led rescuers to Barr four hours after the roof had collapsed.

Mexico To Improve Its Radio Service

MEXICO CITY —(AP)— Extensive modernization and improvement of the government wireless system is now under way, the federal department of mails and telegraphs announced.

Construction of 10 new radio transmitting stations and four emergency power plants in various parts of the republic will be included in the program, the government said.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

EDINBURG—O. C. Hollis, manager of the Kreidler Funeral home here, underwent a minor operation Saturday at the County-City hospital.

Britain Asks Help Of US In Blockade

LONDON (Sunday)—(AP)—A plea to America to tighten and extend export controls "so as to insure that no vital materials get through to the enemy" was voiced tonight by Hugh Dalton, minister of economic warfare and master of Britain's blockade of Germany and Italy.

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ANNUAL STAFF IS SELECTED

Joan Hagar Is Editor Of 'El Sendero'

SAN BENITO—Staff of the San Benito high school annual has been selected, it was announced Saturday by Miss Otelia Graham, faculty sponsor, and plans for its many attractive features are nearing completion. Subscriptions now total 175. W. W. Tenney is faculty sponsor for business part of the book.

The annual will be called the traditional "El Sendero" instead of "The Dagger" as it has been known for the past several years. Annuals were called "El Sendero" when first published from the early twenties to 1936.

Staff members are: Bill Symonds, business manager; John Parmer associate manager; Leonard McKenzie, second associate manager; Joan Hagar, editor-in-chief; Mary Lou Sweeney, associate editor; Billy Joyce Lockmiller, second associate editor; Tol Boswell, Jimmy Jolly, senior photographers; Betty Erwin, Richard Roiz, junior photographers; Freddie Sandmeier, sophomore photographer; Joyce Jean Brady, Flora Mae Woodmansee, art editors; Bill Bone, senior copy editor; June Gudmanson, junior copy editor; Nona Foster, senior title editor; Dick Dodson, junior title editor; Billy Hirsch, printing editor; Bonnie Lou Bryant, Bertha Chapa, Gladys Parker, typists; Virginia Alewine, Ivel Goldsmith, senior, Lucia Alvarez, junior and Josephine Eligondo, sophomore, construction editors.

Not The Champ

Antares Is Exceeded By Other Star

PASADENA, Calif.—(AP)—A sophomore student at University of California, Los Angeles, has exploded the accepted belief that Antares—huge as it is—is the largest of the stars.

Instead, he said, it is fourth biggest—far overshadowed by the 690,000,000 miles diameter of Ras Algethi in the constellation Hercules.

George H. Herbig, 20, who acts as guide and photographer at a Los Angeles observatory in his spare time and hopes some day to become an astronomer, made his discoveries in a series of studies with Dr. Adrian van Maanen at Mt. Wilson Observatory.

Blast Kills Miner In Oklahoma Shaft

McALESTER, Okla. — (AP) — A dynamite blast killed Dave Keener, 54-year-old shot-firer at the Mullen Coal Company's bituminous mine two miles west of here.

Searchers found Keener's body in room 37 of the 9th entry, 1900 feet below ground, at 10:10 a.m. They reported Keener apparently realized he was going to get caught by the blast. The position of the body indicated he had made an unsuccessful attempt to dash from the room.

Nazi Peace Feeler Is Being Predicted

LONDON—(AP)—Lord Queenborough predicted Saturday in a message to the Society of St. George, of which he is president, that as a result of the Axis setback in the Mediterranean and pressure of the British blockade "Germany may well shortly put out a (peace) feeler'."

"They can be made through only one of two intermediaries, the Vatican or the White House," the conservative peer said.

Jap General Killed In Airplane Crash

TOKYO—(AP)—The war office disclosed Saturday that Major General Nobuichi Kusunoki, head of aviation headquarters at the war office, and five other army men were killed Friday when their plane crashed on a mountain in a dense fog while circling over Kaishu, Korea. Kusunoki was military attache at the Washington Embassy in 1922.

Texas Oilman's Wife Gets $3300 Alimony

DALLAS—(AP)—Mrs. L. A. Joiner, former wife of C. M. (Dad) Joiner, discoverer of the East Texas oil field, was granted judgment of $3,300 for alleged back payments under a divorce separation contract Saturday in district court.

Under terms of the contract Mrs. Joiner received $28,000 in cash and was to get $500 a month for the remainder of her life.

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WAITRESS SHOWS UP PEDDLER WHO CLAIMS IS DEAF

BLOOMINGTON, Ind.—(AP)—The peddler handed the waitress a little card and a package of needles.

"These the only kind you have?" she asked.

"No, I have a lot more in my basket," said the peddler. Then he turned and fled the premises with all the speed he could muster.

He'd forgotten that the card said he was deaf and dumb.

AAA LEADERS MAKE TALKS

Holmgreen Speaker At Meet Here

HARLINGEN — Valley growers and business men heard an explanation of the government crop control programs from E. N. Holmgreen, head of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration in Texas, at a meeting Friday night in Fair Park auditorium.

Holmgreen spoke on the programs in general and another speaker was Cliff Day, also of the State AAA office.

Holmgreen was guest to Walter W. Housewright and a group of other San Benito business men Friday evening at San Benito before returning to Harlingen for his address.

The AAA chief was due to attend a barbecue at the McCormick ranch near Brownsville Saturday noon and to make a general inspection of the Valley.

GREEK'S NAVY NOW IN ACTION

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ministry said the country's air raid casualties totaled 604 dead, including 74 women, 152 children. It placed the injured at 1,070, including 425 women and 205 children. In all, the ministry said 1,200 homes had been destroyed and countless others were made uninhabitable.

ENTIRE 11TH ARMY THROWN INTO WAR

ROME—(AP)—Premier Mussolini's entire 11th army was reported Saturday to have been sped across the Adriatic and thrown into the front lines of the Albanian battlefront in less than 10 days, leading to the belief that transport planes were used to ferry part of these picked troops.

This army, formed only three weeks ago, has seen its first action in the past three days and is playing a big part in holding the Greeks in some sectors and is on the offensive in otners, dispatches from the front reported.

Electric Eyes May Guide Latest Bomb

NELSON, British Columbia—(AP)—A new type of directional aerial bomb originated by a 14-year-old Nelson boy, Allan Ramsden, is being closed studied by the inventions board at Ottawa.

Young Ramsden conceived the idea of a bomb which through a photo-electric cell, might be self-directed by light action when dropped on a target from a bombing plane.

Negro Will Preach Despite Injunction

OMAHA—(AP)—Rev. James Crowder of the Negro St. Luke's Baptist church, said he planned to preach despite an injunction action.

Two trustees of the church asked the district court to bar the minister on the ground that he had been discharged three times. Rev. Crowder said "there isn't a word of truth in it."

Tommy Corcoran In Houston After Rest

HOUSTON—(AP)—Tommy Corcoran, one of President Roosevelt's unofficial advisors, was in Houston after a vacation in Texas and Mexico.

The Toledo, O., birthplace and boyhood home of Walter F. Brown, former postmaster general has been acquired by a church as the site for a new recreation building.

COURT DOCKET HAS 22 SUITS

Grand Jurors To Be Chosen Monday

BROWNSVILLE — Twenty-two civil suits, including seven bankruptcy hearings, will be heard in the Southern district Federal court which will open here Monday.

Many criminal cases will also be heard before Judge McMillan of Houston, who will take the bench for the December term in place of Judge James V. Allred.

Grand and petit juries will be chosen at 10 a.m. Monday.

Bankruptcy Cases

Bankruptcy cases to be heard include:

For December 10—City of Lyford, Cameron County Water Improvement District No. 2, City of Brownsville, Cameron County Water Improvement District No. 15 of Harlingen, Hidalgo County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 and City of Edinburg, all petitions for confirmation of composition of debt readjustment. For December 11—Willacy County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1, petition for submitting plan of composition.

Civil Cases

Civil cases include:

Mrs. Bessie D. Owsley vs. Cameron county water control and improvement district No. 7, suit on past due bonds and interest coupons of respondent district owned and held by plaintiff.

Rio Grande Valley Citrus Exchange vs. F. E. Nichols, inspector of the wage and hour division of the department of labor, application for an injunction enjoining enforcement of the wage and hour bill. This case has been passed pending action on a similar suit in Florida.

Oil Alleged Taken

A. Orive, Jr., et al vs Phillips Petroleum Company and Barnsdall Oil Company, suit to recover damages alleged to have been sustained by plaintiffs for oil taken from land by defendants.

Sterling R. Thornton vs. R. T. Daniels, suit for damages for false arrest and encarceration.

Edinburg Consolidated Independent School District vs. United States of America, suit to clear cloud to title of district to certain lands, caused by filing of tax lien under internal revenue laws.

Carson Seniority

H. E. Carson vs. Missouri Pacific Lines (Gulf Coast Lines), suit to establish his seniority and for wage loss by reason of being wrongfully deprived of employment.

Mrs. Chloie Woody vs. Associated Indemnity Corporation, suit to set aside an award of the industrial accident board and to recover certain sums of money by plaintiff alleged to be due her from defendant as compensation under an insurance policy.

City Of La Feria

S. H. Ransom, Jr., vs. City of La Feria, et al, suit to enforce terms of judgments heretofore entered against defendants in favor of plaintiff. Case set or December 10.

United States of America vs. Edward E. Frazier and Jessie Frazier, suit on a note given to Farm Security Administration.

Real Estate Sale

R. L. Stout and Ida M. Stout vs. Fidelity Investment Company, suit to annul sale of real estate to cancel warranty deed and promissory note and to recover money paid by plaintiffs on said sale.

Louise S. Corbusier and Harold C. Corbusier, vs. Cameron county, suit on past due interest coupons appertaining to bonds of defendant county.

Suit For Damages

Esteban Loya vs. E. B. Wells and A. E. Graut, suit for damages for alleged conversion by defendants of plaintiffs 1931 model Chevrolet coach.

United States of America vs. L. C. Delp, Matie Delp, Roscoe Delp and Dorothy Dewald Delp, suit on note under title 1, National Housing Act.

American Fruit Growers

American Fruit Growers, Inc., vs. Arthur Beckwith, suit to recover balance due on notes of the defendant in favor of plaintiff, principal, interest and attorney's ees.

B. F. Bullis vs. Universal Credit Company and George Mitchell, suit to recover $500 alleged equity in truck alleged to have been converted by defendant company; $240 for conversion of fruit, $1500 injury to reputation and $2500 exemplary damages.

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Handel's 'Messiah' To Be Presented Sunday At 1st Methodist Church

10TH ANNUAL CHOIR OPERA GIVEN HERE

3 Choirs Of Valley Make Up Ensemble

HARLINGEN—The tenth annual presentation of Handel's "Messiah" will be given Sunday night at 7:45 o'clock in the First Methodist Church in Harlingen. The local choir will be assisted by the choir from the Brownsville Methodist Church and by members of the San Benito Choral Club.

The impressive ensemble, strengthened by the visiting artist soloists, indicates that the Christmas oratorio this year will be the outstanding musical performance of the year, say those who have attended rehearsals.

Ormesher Director

David L. Ormesher is director. He had directed each of the presentations of "Messiah" by the choir for ten seasons.

The "Messiah," the most famous oratorio ever written, was first presented in Dublin, Ireland, in 1743, with Handel himself conducting. It depicts a prophecy, life, and death of Christ in impressive choral and solo music.

Contralto Parts

Mrs. J. Roscoe Golden, head of the music department in Southern Methodist University at Dallas, will sing the contralto parts. She has sung this role for several seasons in Dallas, with the Dallas Symphony Orchestra playing the accompaniment.

Paul Riley, head of the music department at College of Arts and Industries, Kingsville, will sing the baritone role.

Tenor Roles

Grady Whittle, band director at Lyford and well-known Valley soloist, will sing the tenor roles; and Mrs. Stanley Crockett, who has sung the soprano arias several times for the First Methodist Choir, will have the soprano lead.

Miss Virginia Perry will be at the Stuart Memorial organ and Mrs. Darrell Jackson and Mrs. Lyle Wheeler will be at the two pianos.

Begins At 7:45 p.m.

The program will begin promptly at 7:45 p.m., preceded by a time-honored procession, the choir using a carol as a processional hymn. The music-loving public is invited to attend.

Arias and choruses from the "Messiah" to be sung includes:

1. Overture
3. Every Valley—Tenor
4. And the Glory—Chorus
5. Thus saith the Lord—Baritone
6. But who may abide—Intro. then to F. Page 32
8. Behold: A virgin—Contralto 4
9. O Thou that tellest—Chorus
11. The people that walked—Baritone
12. For unto us—Chorus
13. Pastoral Symphony—Instrumental
14. There were shepherds—soprano
15. And the Angel—soprano
16. And suddenly—soprano
17. Glory to God—Chorus
18. Rejoice Greatly—soprano
19. Then shall the eyes—Contralto
20. He shall feed his Flock—Contralto
22. Behold the Lamb of God—Chorus
23. He was despised—Contralto to letter E Page 111
31. He was cut off—Tenor
32. But Thou didst not leave—Tenor
47. Behold, I tell you a mystery—Baritone
48. The Trumpet shall sound to Page 219—Baritone
46. Since by man came death—Chorus
45. I know that my Redeemer—Soprano
44. Hallelejuh—Chorus

Model Builders

Valley Meet Is Set For Harlingen

HARLINGEN—Valley-wide meeting of model plane enthusiasts will be held from 2 to 5 p. m. here Sunday, with the meet scheduled to be held at the Harlingen airport.

Garver Murray of Harlingen urged full attendance from over the Valley even if the wind is blowing too hard, for in such event, the modelers will organize a Rio Grande Valley Gas Model Association in place of sending planes aloft.

Baptist Church Club Holds Play Meeting

HARLINGEN — The Companions club of the First Baptist church met this week at the residence of Miss Billy Jean Brewster where a number of games were played. The next meeting will be at home of Miss Joyce Herron. Those present were Miss Lola Fae McCall, Miss Joyce Herron, Miss Betty Jean Whitworth, Miss Marian Carlson, Mrs. W. A. Holt, and the hostess.

New State Highway Map Being Printed

AUSTIN—(AP)—Highway department engineers announced Saturday a new statewide highway map for free distribution after January 1 was in preparation.

Copies of the spring edition map are exhausted and no more will be printed in the interest of economy and because the winter edition with more recent data will soon be available.

EMPLOYES TO MEET

HARLINGEN—Employes of the Edwin Flato Company will hold meeting Monday at the Reese-Wilmond Hotel in Harlingen.

Young Townsend Speaks At Brownsville Meeting

Robert Townsend, son of Dr. Francis E. Townsend, founder of the Townsend Pension Plan, is shown above at El Jardin hotel in Brownsville Saturday after his return from a hunting trip in Mexico. Young Townsend will speak at a meeting of El Jardin Townsend Club members at the El Jardin community house Sunday at 2 p. m. A box lunch will precede the meeting. He came here with L. W. Jeffrey of Chicago, vice-president of the National Townsend organization, and W. W. Stevens of Houston, organizer.

BROWNSVILLE—L. W. Jeffrey of Chicago, vice-president of the National Townsend organization, is shown above at El Jardin hotel here Saturday morning after return from a hunting trip in Mexico with Robert Townsend, son of Dr. Francis E. Townsend, founder of the Townsend Pension Plan. W. W. Stevens of Houston, organizer, who accompanied the couple on their visit, and Mrs. Stevens, are shown in the background.

Camp Bowie Building Now On Boom; 10,000 Carpenters Drawing $337,720 On 36th Division's New Quarters

BROWNWOOD—(AP)—Facilities for the 36th Division, first unit to move to Camp Bowie, is now 85 per cent complete. The payroll this week was $337,720 with around 10,000 men employed.

The Brownwood Chamber of commerce has been asked to secure 700 acres of land adjoining the camp on the south. The land is to be used for facilities of corps troops that will be assigned here. It is understood here that the 5,000 draftees necessary to raise the 36th Division from its present strength of 13,000 to the full strength of 18,000 is to be processed here instead of at reception and replacement centers, and will be quartered on the present camp site and not in the new area.

Negro troops to be stationed here will be quartered on the present reservation. Thirty-four buildings and 381 tent frames have been constructed for Negroes in the northern part of the present cantonment.

At present work has been started on 434 buildings and 3,800 tent frames at the camp. The tent frames are more than enough to house the 36th Division.

At the municipal airport, which is to be the base of the 111th Observation Squadron, no work has been done on the hangar, but mess halls, bath houses, tent frames for officers and men who will be quartered there, are nearing completion.

A detachment of 18 officers and 50 men of the medical corps are now stationed at the camp.

Quartermaster corps troops have unloaded more than 200 carloads of camp supplies, food, and uniforms.

NEW MINISTER IS INSTALLED

Presbyterian Rites Sunday Morning

HARLINGEN—Rev. G. W. Crofoot will be installed pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at the 11 o'clock hour of worship Sunday. A commission from the Presbytery of Western Texas will be present and officiate at this service. Rev. A. Thomas Dyal, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Mission, will preside and preach the sermon, using as his subject "The Eternal Impact."

Rev. Hugh Robertson, D.D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of San Benito, will propound the constitutional questions and deliver the charge to the congregation. Charles C. Bowie, a deacon in the San Benito Presbyterian Church, will deliver the charge to the pastor. Ruling elders E. W. Halstead from Mission and James Bowie from San Benito will complete the commission.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Challes will play the service, using for the prelude "Morning Prayer" by Mehul, "See the Conquering Hero Comes" by Handel for the offertory, and "This Is The Lord's Own Day" by Krutzer for the postlude. The choir under the leadership of Mr. William C. Black will sing "Rest in the Lord" by Heyser.

All groups will assemble for the evening worship at 6:45 p.m. After a brief praise service the pioneers and senior young people will go to their respective meetings and the adults will remain in the auditorium for the evening sermon which will be preached by the pastor. He will use as his subject "A Message to Today's Business Men."

Orville Carpenter Refused State Pay

AUSTIN, Tex.—(AP)—Comptroller George Sheppard revealed he had declined to issue a September pay warrant to Orville S. Carpenter on request of the attorney general who may ask the U. S. Supreme Court for a review of litigation on the question of whether state officeholders can receive state pay while in active military training.

The state Supreme Court ruled recently that Carpenter, who began military training on the state staff of the Texas National Guard while he was chairman-director of the unemployment compensation commission, was entitled to state pay.

Bodies Found; May Be Of Painter, Wife

MADRID — (AP) — Two bodies which, it is believed, may be those of the great Spanish painter, Diego Rodriguez de Silva y Velazquez, and his wife, were found by excavators in the Plaza de Ramales, Madrid, where the ancient church of San Juan once stood.

Velazquez' remains were buried in the Fuensalida vault of the church in 1660, and eight days later the body of his wife, Juana, was placed beside him. The French destroyed the church in 1811.

Britain May Check Resources In U. S.

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Great Britain soon will send a finance mission here for a thorough canvass of its holdings in the United States, it was learned here.

Informed persons said that the plan apparently grew out of the reaction to statements by Lord Lothian, the British ambassador, on his return from England that his country would need financial assistance very badly next year.

Motor Vessel Said Aground Near Here

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The coast guard reported that the motor vessel "Sturdy," 35-foot 12-tonner, was aground 60 miles south of Corpus Christi. The crew of four, the coast guard said, was safe.

The vessel is owned by the Overton-Menger Company of Corpus Christi, the guard said.

SLICK PAVING DUNKS DRIVER IN ICE-LIKE LAKE

CHICAGO — (AP) — When Miss Hazel Olson shoved on her brakes Thursday for a red light on a busy drive along Lake Michigan, her automobile—

Jumped the curb; slid across a sidewalk; angled over a grassy stretch; slipped through a five foot hedge opening; bounced down a flight of ten steps; skidded across another sidewalk; bumped down three more steps and dropped into the lake, coming to rest on a sunken rock.

Miss Olson was able to open the door of her submerged car and park policemen came to her rescue with a life preserver.

FBI STUDIES SPY HUNTING

English Methods To Be Scrutinized

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Methods evolved by Britain for fighting espionage and sabotage under wartime conditions are being studied by the Federal Bureau of Investigation for guiding in tightening the peacetime defenses against foreign agents in this country.

A two-man mission was sent to England several weeks ago, it was learned Saturday, to investigate the British methods at first hand.

The men, whose names were withheld by officials, will return about the first of the year. They will summarize their findings for use in the National Police Academy, FBI institution in which police officers from all sections of the country are given intensive three months courses in law-enforcement.

Data Is Useful

The information also will be useful, it was said, in the retraining courses which all special agents must take periodically and in revising instructions given to agents in charge of field offices.

Meanwhile, indications increased, in the aftermath of a White House conference, that the campaign against subversive activities would be carried forward hereafter in closer collaboration between the Dies committee and such law-enforcing agencies as the FBI.

Representatives Dies (D-Tex), who frequently has voiced criticism of the FBI's work, spent an hour talking with President Roosevelt Friday. While he flatly declined to disclose the nature of the conference, it was believed by some authorities that an effort was made to eliminate conflict between his committee and federeal agents.

Nazi Vessels Fight Off British Planes

BERLIN — (AP) — British torpedo planes attacked German steamers in the North Sea Friday afternoon, the German News Agency, DNB, reported.

The DNB account said heavy fire from warships accompanying the steamers finally forced the British planes to turn away without scoring any hits.

The planes were said to have fired their torpedoes at "hopeless distance" from their targets.

Aged Cattle Raiser Is Dead At Midland

MIDLAND, Tex. — (AP) — Stephen Mosby Francis, 79, widely known cattleman, died at his home here Saturday after a long illness. Funeral services will be conducted at 2:30 p.m. Sunday.

Francis engaged in all phases of ranching. Years ago he was one of the largest cattle shippers in this area.

Syrians Forbidden To Join Foreigners

DAMASCUS, Syria — (AP) — The high commissioner of this French mandated territory decreed Saturday heavy penalties upon cities and any Syrians who volunteer for service with foreign armies.

60 TOURISTS NOW LISTED

Hostess Takes Data On All Visitors

HARLINGEN — Registration of winter visitors, which had increased to 60 at the tourist headquarters in the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel by Saturday, is a complicated business. Mrs. Walter Murray, hostess in charge of the chamber of commerce-sponsored clubroom, is trying to make it possible through registration, to be of service to every person visiting in Harlingen during the winter months.

The registration, for which there is no charge, lists the tourists according to registration date. On the book they sign, their names, home addresses and Harlingen addresses are listed. In a second book, Mrs. Murray lists them according to home state. And in still a third book, they are listed according to church affiliation or preference, lodge or other organization membership.

Tourists Friday enjoyed a bridge and domino party at the clubroom, first entertainment planned for them for the new tourist season. Some 17 winter visitors enjoyed the games, with Mrs. W. C. Cobb of Brainerd, Mich., winning ladies' high score. Men's high was taken by Mr. J. H. Light of Rockford, Ill., while high cut went to Mr. W. C. Cobb.

Tuesday, at 2 p.m., the winter visitors will leave the clubroom on a pleasure excursion through a number of private gardens and fruit groves in this sector. Following the excursion, they will be taken to the Presbyterian Church, where they will be guests at an open house given by the Presbyterian ladies.

A Christmas party for the tourists to be given by the Harlingen real estate board, was announced by J. J. Willingham Saturday. The party will be given about December 19, Willingham said, and probably will be staged at the Woman's Building.

St. Helena Oil

Roth Canvas To Hang At Sul Ross

HARLINGEN — The five-by-six-foot painting of St. Helena Canyon by Eleanor Roth of Harlingen which will be hung in the museum at Sul Ross College at Alpine, is on display in windows of the Central Power and Light Company.

The painting is an enlargement of the prize-winning picture she made at the summer art colony at Alpine. The enlarged painting will be shipped in about a week after it has dried thoroughly, she said.

"I feel that this painting is the best thing I have done," Mrs. Roth said Saturday.

Works of only two other Texas artists are being hung in the museum at Alpine.

Tom Vines Buys Old Hoch Estate Assets

HARLINGEN—The Hoch estate, consisting of the Home Furniture Company, was sold at administrator's sale here Friday. The furniture and merchandise was purchased by the Parker Auction Company, and the accounts were bought by Tom Vines.

Girls Will Take It, Dish It Out, In Little Theatre's Dec. 9 Play

EDINBURG—Valley girls prove they can take it—and incidentally give it—in the hilarious hair pulling contest in "The Women," second production of the Valley Little Theatre to be presented at the Edinburg Junior College auditorium December 9.

Free-for-all can best describe the battle of the female sex staged as the comedy highlight of the show. The fight between Miriam Aarons, played by Annette Closner, and Sylvia Fowler, played by Margaret Brown, is more than realistic, Director Paul Moore claims with fervor.

In the Closner-Brown "Battle of the Century" the ladies prove how well they can dish it out. The fight occurs in Reno and begins with the discovery Miss Closner, there for a divorce, is going to marry the man whom Miss Brown is there to divorce. There is a hot exchange of words before the female fisticuff battle begins.

Other members of the cast of this entertaining comedy are: Arlen Kamlah, Connie Green, Shirley Fogelberg, Shirley Burke, Jean Rightor, Cordelia McMahan, Margare. Owens, Mildred Downs, Imogene Brennan, Clara Casberg, Marie Miller, Lucille Smith and Emmett Patton.

Latin Scouts

Two New Troops Are Organized Now

HARLINGEN — Two new Boy Scout troops for Latin-American youngsters have been organized this week, Ralph Cissne, Valley scout field executive, said here Saturday. In addition to one organization in Harlingen, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, another, to be called the Buena Vida troop, has been organized at Brownsville.

The new Brownsville troop is sponsored by the Buena Vida housing authority, Cissne said. Moises Carrasco is the scoutmaster, while J. T. Saturnino, A. Estrada and Ed J. Volkman form the troop committee. Scouts are Albert Walker, J. C. Sullivan, Carlos Garcia, LeRoy Gray, Gamaliel Mora, William Betz, Lionel Lopez and Rodolpho De La Paz.

Another Latin-American troop will be organized Wednesday afternoon in a meeting at La Feria, Cissne said.

CIVIC DINNER PLANS READY

Rowe Will Introduce Francis At McAllen

McALLEN—Homer W. Rowe has been designated by McAllen Chamber of Commerce President Van E. Cook to introduce Charles I. Francis, Houston attorney, when the latter speaks at the annual chamber membership dinner Tuesday at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

Francis' speech will feature the brief program at the informal dinner which gets under way at 7:30 p.m. W. M. Blanton, Houston chamber manager, will also give a brief address.

Five hundred copies of the chamber's annual report have been printed to be presented members at the banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nolen, in charge of ticket sales, said they expected to make their principal sales Monday. They reminded the city's women residents that they were invited to attend.

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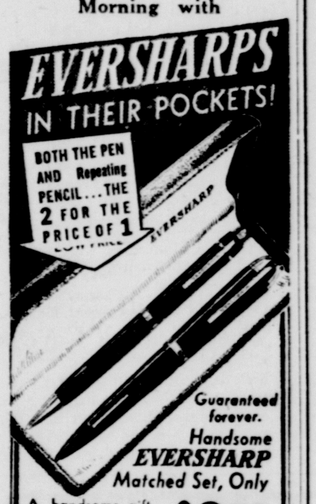
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FIRST VALLEY SPEECH MEET ON SCHEDULE

McAllen To Be Scene Of December Event

McALLEN—The first Rio Grande Valley debate, Speech and Drama institute will be held in McAllen Saturday, Dec. 7, under the supervision of the Interscholastic league of Texas, Don Irwin, McAllen High school instructor and director of the event, said Saturday.

Irwin said the event is designed to assist all teachers and students of speech with the various specific problems relative to the coming Interscholastic League events.

The debate program will be directed by Thomas Rousse, debate coach of the University of Texas, who will discuss debate judging as well as the 1941 debate topic. This program will consist largely of general round table discussion. "Bring your debate problems and talk them over," Irwin urged Valley teachers. O. M. Montgomery of Texas A. & I., Kingsville, former McAllen instructor, will speak on "The Rebuttal Speech."

Bedichek To Attend

Roy Bedichek, director of the Interscholastic League, will lead the declamation and extemporaneous speech division. Several extemporaneous speeches will be given and criticized. Also of interest in this locality will be a discussion of practical aids for the Spanish speaking contestant.

"Critic judging will be the most important feature of the drama division," Irwin said. The Campus Players of Edinburg Junior College will present "What Never Dies" by Percival Wilde under the direction of Mrs. Ruth Owings. This play will be critic-judged by F. L. Winship, director of speech activities of the league.

The program will start at 9 a.m., Dec. 7, with a general meeting in the junior high school auditorium. Supt. John H. Gregory of McAllen will extend a welcome to the visitors, followed by a talk by Bedichek on "The Interscholastic League."

Changes in speech contest rules will be outlined by Winship and William Doyle of McAllen will sing a solo. From 10 until noon a debate round table will be held in the rehearsal room of the junior high building. Montgomery will speak on rebuttal speeches, Thomas Rousse will discuss technical points in judging and will lead a discussion on the 1941 topic.

Auditorium Sessions

Declamation and extemporaneous speech will be discussed in the auditorium, with Bedichek speaking on "Why Speech Contests?" and Miss Margaret Brown of McAllen talking on Spanish speaking contestants. Extemporaneous speeches will be offered by the McAllen High school team, coached by Lloyd Garrison. Bedichek and Winship will offer criticism and discussions.

The one-act play group will meet at the auditorium from 1:15 to 3 p.m. Irwin will give thumbnail reviews of new plays, to be followed by the Campus Players' presentation of "What Never Dies." Winship will judge the play critically, followed by a group discussion. A reception at 3:30 p.m. will close the institute.

Mexico On Air

Inauguration To Be Broadcast

SCHENECTADY, N. Y.—(AP)—General Electric's short wave station KGEI in San Francisco will broadcast in Spanish the inaugural ceremonies of President-Elect Manuel Avila Camacho of Mexico Sunday.

The broadcast, directed to all Latin American countries, will be heard from 10:30 a. m. to noon, (CST).

Short wave station WGEA in Schenectady, operating on the same frequency as KGEI, will cancel its regular European broadcasts during that period to eliminate interference in reception.

Early Gets Apology From Negro Officer Following Incident

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Stephen T. Early, President Roosevelt's press secretary, made public a letter from James M. Sloan, New York Negro policeman, expressing regret for the "incident" in New York October 28, in which Sloan complained he was hurt while trying to prevent Early and reporters from boarding the President's train in Pennsylvania station.

"The misunderstanding was not your fault nor was it ours," Sloan wrote under date of November 22. He accepted an apology Early offered October 31 and said he wanted to "count the whole thing as an accident that happened void of all malice."

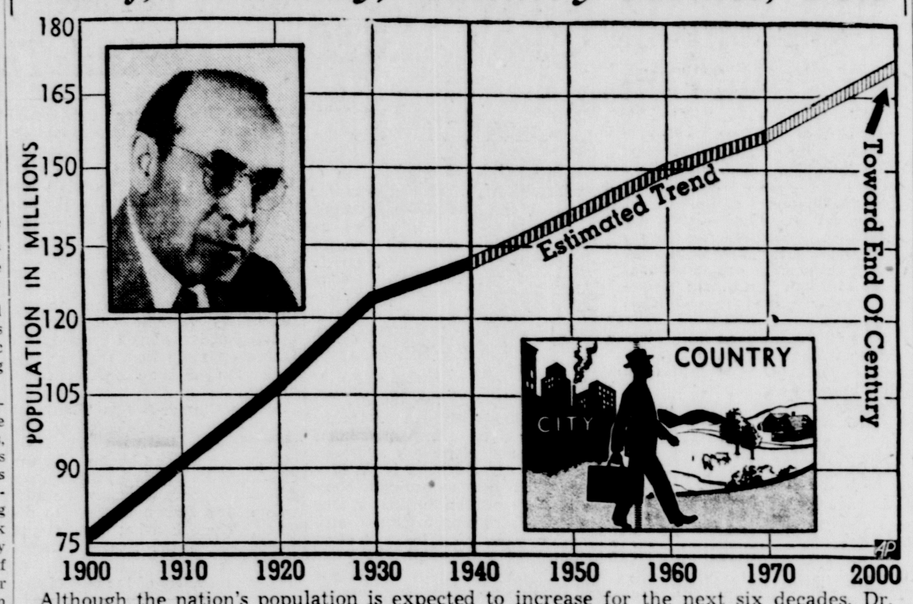
China Mission Work Subject Of Sermon

SAN BENITO—Guest speaker at the Sunday morning service at the First Baptist church will be Mrs. F. E. Mewshaw, formerly of San Benito, who will speak on Baptist missionary work in China in which she and Dr. Mewshaw were engaged for about six years.

Mrs. Mewshaw will address the congregation at the Baptist church in Brownsville Sunday night and will be principal speaker at the San Benito Baptist Woman's Missionary Union Monday and Tuesday. Dr. and Mrs. Mewshaw are now residing in Waco, Texas, where their daughters attend Baylor University.

Census Analyst Reports:

Our Future Citizens Will Go For Golf, Whiskey, Country Homes, Pets



Although the nation's population is expected to increase for the next six decades, Dr. Constantine Panunzio (inset), west coast sociologist, predicts a gradual tapering off and a peak of 175,000,000 by the year 2000.

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By SAM JACKSON
AP Feature Service Writer

LOS ANGELES—The report on the 1940 census may look like a bunch of figures to most people, but to the trained sociologists it will be an index to strictly human affairs in the years that lie ahead.

From the preliminary releases, Dr. Constantine Panunzio of the University of California at Los Angeles believe that he can tell Americans something of the pattern of life they face.

To postpone his weightier pronouncements for a moment, here are some of the random facts that he believes are in herent in the census findings:

There will be fewer play-grounds and more golf courses.

There will be less milk and more whiskey.

Beauty parlors will multiply.

The animal pet population of the cities will increase.

The expanding demand for school teachers will slow up or halt.

Taxes will go up.

More people will move from the cities to a healthier, happier life in the country.

The discontent among the more elderly part of the population is likely to increase.

Four Major Trends

These conclusions are drawn largely from the rapidly increasing age average in the nation, but that is only one of four major trends which Dr. Panunzio sees in the 1940 census. They are:

1 Our rate of population increase is going down rapidly.

2 The lower economic classes are contributing most to our population growth.

3 The growth of the city is slowing up.

4 Persons over 45 are forming an increasingly large percentage of the total population.

175,000,000 Top?

Our population as shown by the 1940 census is 131,409,881. The Los Angeles sociologist expects it to be—

141,000,000 in 1950.

150,000,000 in 1960.

157,000,000 in 1970.

Stationary at about 175,000,000 toward the end of the century.

The fact that low-income families produce the most children does not alarm Dr. Panunzio.

"The impression that this is an unhealthy situation does not rest on scientific fact," he said. "The 'common people' have at all times contributed at least their percentage of leadership of the country."

A Choice Of One

On the old-age question, Dr. Panunzio finds that as recently as 1870 America was almost entirely a young man's country, persons over 45 making up only 15.5 per cent of the population.

The present census shows them to constitute 24.4 per cent. The trend indicates that in a decade or so they will make up nearly a third of the population.

If business concerns won't hire persons over 45, he says, the rest of the population will simply have to chip in and support them.

Judge Of Divorce Court Finds There's Something New Under Sun; Man Will Support Mother-In-Law But Not Wife

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CHICAGO—(AP)—Judge Rudolph Desort thought he had heard everything that could be said in a divorce case—until Walter Appelt spoke up.

Appelt, defendant in divorce proceedings, said that he had a "sincere affection" for his mother-in-law and wanted to support her.

Judge Desort was so startled he asked Appelt to repeat it.

"In all my experience in the divorce court, that's the first tribute to a mother-in-law I've ever heard," said the judge.

'STOLEN' CAR IS ACTUALLY ONLY A BIT MISPLACED

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McALLEN—George L. Martin of McAllen looked very rueful Saturday afternoon after a wide broadcast had been sent out for his supposedly stolen car.

Martin reported to city police at 10:30 a. m. that his car had been taken from its parking place on 15th street near the McAllen hotel. The keys were in the ignition, Martin said, the first time he had ever left the machine unlocked.

Police went to work, sending out notices to the Hidalgo bridge, the border patrol radio station, the sheriff's departments at Edinburg and Rio Grande City, and bridges at Rio Rico, Laredo and Roma.

Two hours later, Martin returned, saying he had found the car where he had parked it on the highway between Main and 15th streets. He had forgotten where it was parked.

Joe Sloan Is Named Mont Meta Manager

SAN BENITO—Joe A. Sloan is new manager of Mont Meta cemetery property on the Rio Hondo road and has moved with his family to the superintendent's house there. He succeeds Fred Booth, who was called into service as lieutenant of Company M, Texas National Guard, mobilized here.

TRAVEL TO MEXICO UP

McAllen Consulate Issues Permits

McALLEN—An increase in tourist traffic into Mexico during the past week was reported Saturday by M. Garcia Rocha, in charge of the Mexican consulate here, during Consul Lauro Izaguirre's trip to Mexico City for the presidential inauguration.

During the past week, Rocha said, 25 tourist cards have been issued from his office. The total is more than 33 per cent better than any previous week in the past three months.

Rocha said averages were also higher at the Mexican immigration office at Reynosa than they had been for some time. Most of the permits were for travel as far as Saltillo and Monterrey with several for Mexico City trips.

Colonel Will Join Free French Forces

BUENOS AIRES—(AP)—Col. Ernesto Petit, head of the French military mission to Paraguay, was in Buenos Aires Saturday on his way to London to join the "Free French" forces of General Charles de Gaulle.

M'MILLAN TO HOLD COURT

Federal Session Is To Begin Monday

BROWNSVILLE—Judge Robert J. McMillan of San Antonio will open federal court of the Southern District of Texas here at 10 a.m. Monday.

Judge McMillan, who presides over the Western District of Texas, will hold court in place of Judge James V. Allred of Houston, federal judge of the Southern District.

Communion Service Set At San Benito

SAN BENITO—Holy Communion service will be held Sunday morning at the First Methodist church. Rev. L. J. Rode's sermon topic will be "Remember." Special organ music will be presented and Mrs. W. F. Pitts, soloist, will sing "The Beatitudes." "O Lord Support Us All Day Long" will be sung by the choir with solo by S. V. Neely.

NEW CHARITY WORK SLATED

'War Production' Of Red Cross Starts

McALLEN—A. M. Tarbutton of Edinburg chairman of the Hidalgo County chapter of the Red Cross, announced Saturday that inauguration of the unit's "war production" program will be observed Monday.

Co-chairmen of the program are Mrs. Thomas Mahone of McAllen and Mrs. Vernon Hill of Mission.

All materials for the program are furnished by the Red Cross, Tarbutton said. Volunteer workers are asked for making garments, socks, bandages and other supplies.

Material has already been received and Hidalgo County is expected to turn out a large quantity of goods.

Norman H. Davis, national Red Cross chairman in a letter to Tarbutton, said "We have been repeatedly informed by the Women's Volunteer Service in England and the British Red Cross that our chapter produced garments highly acceptable. We have only recently received a request to outfit 200,000 children from the age of six months to five years and work has already started on the project."

Tarbutton said 800,000 women in the United States are working under the program. He said further information on the project may be obtained from Mrs. Mahone or Mrs. Hill, Rev. W. W. Stewart of Pharr or from Miss Edele Speed of Edinburg, executive secretary.

Deny Invasion

Dutch Colony Not Molested

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Reports that a German landing party had been repulsed by British marines while trying to invade the Island of Curacao were termed "entirely without foundation" by the Dutch government.

The denial, issued through the Netherlands legation, was based on a report to the Dutch government in London from the governor of Curacao. The British forces, the legation said, are in Curacao at the invitation of Dutch authorities, are billeted with Dutch troops guarding oil refineries and are under the Netherlands military command.

"The erroneous report," the legation added, "came about when a British sentry fired two shots in the air to halt an intoxicated man who had unwittingly entered the military reservation."

Hungary Seeks Part Of Rumanian Lands

NEW YORK — (AP) — The British radio, in a broadcast heard by CBS, said Hungary was trying to take advantage of present conditions in Rumania to get that part of Transylvania which she didn't get by the recent Axis-dictated Vienna settlement.

The radio quoted an official of the Rumanian delegation in London as its authority. The Hungarian radio, according to the official, has declared the Rumanian situation beyond government control and asked that protective measures be taken in Rumanian Transylvania, presumably by Germany.

Contracts Let For Housing U. S. Troops

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Federal Works agency Saturday awarded contracts totalling $957,000 for construction of national defense housing near military posts in Maryland, Texas, and New Mexico.

David Dubinsky, Daughter Leave Valley For Mexico

DAVID DUBINSKY AND DAUGHTER, JEAN

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Garment Union Head Figured In Bar Brawl During Convention Of AFL

BROWNSVILLE—David Dubinsky, president of the International Ladies Garment Workers Union, left Brownsville Saturday afternoon with his 21-year-old daughter, Jean, for a week's vacation in Mexico City.

Dubinsky broke into the headlines during the recent American Federation of Labor convention at New Orleans when he introduced a resolution to give the A. F. of L. executive council power to remove any union official who had ever been found guilty of corrupt practices or "moral turpitude."

Dubinsky's resolution, after being "modified a bit" carried at the convention vote, he told the Valley Morning Star here Saturday.

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He had introduced the resolution due to the repeated evidence, advanced notably by Columnist Westbrook Pegler and clinched by several recent jail sentences, that the leaders of unions include many an ex-convict and racketeer.

The convention and racketeering issue both came violently to life in the bar of the Roosevelt Hotel in New Orleans after midnight on November 21. Joseph Fay, vice-president of the International Union of Operating Engineers, came up to Dubinsky and cursed his resolution as "dirty" and "lousy."

Fisticuffs Follow

The fisticuffs which followed put the A. F. of L. racketeering in the nation's headlines, but Dubinsky said "I came out all right. You don't see any scars do you?"

Daughter Jean, who is a fledgling columnist on the Socialist "New Leader" was knocked to the floor in the barroom brawl. She writes under the name of Jean Daren and her column is called "Your Money's Worth." She said she did not intend to do any writing while in Mexico City with her father, "but I may come out with something," she added.

To See Inauguration

The pair will be in Mexico City during the inauguration of Mexico's new president, Manuel Avila Camacho.

Dubinsky said he would be back in Brownsville on his way to New York City, where he makes his home, about December 5. He was one of the founders of the C.I.O., but left it with his powerful union and swung over to the A. F. of L. when the C.I.O. settled down to be a permanent rival organization.

RECEIVES HONOR

DONNA — Bruce S. Weaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Weaver of Donna was recently elected to membership in the Pi Epsilon, honorary engineering fraternity. Bruce is an assistant instructor in the University, working also towards his Master's degree.

TRAINING FOR SCOUTERS SET

Cub Leaders School Here Two Days

HARLINGEN — Training course for Cub Scout leaders will be held in Harlingen on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and Thursday evening. Boy Scout Field Executive Ralph Cissne said here Saturday. E. C. Deering will be in charge of the course, with Cissne as adviser.

The course, for parents of boys of cub age, will be given from 3 to 5 p. m. at the junior high school on both Wednesday and Thursday. On Thursday night from 7 to 9 o'clock, the youngsters of cub age will join their mothers and fathers for the final session of the training course, also to be held at the junior high school.

M. H. Connelly, principal of the James Bowie school, is cubmaster for the Cub Pack No. 3, which has lapsed. The course is being given for the purpose of reorganization, and the creation of two active cub packs from the former No. 3 pack.

Jap Troop Train Is Bombed By Chinese

PEIPING—(AP)—Delayed dispatches from Kalgan, on the Mongolian border, said Saturday Chinese mobile troops exploded a mine on the Peiping-Suiyuan railway between Nankow and Kalgan on the night of Nov. 25, and blew up a train carrying Japanese soldiers.

SANTA ROSA GUESTS

SANTA ROSA—Thomas Crenshaw and his brother, Joe, of Mercedes, were visitors here Thursday afternoon. The former is a student at the University of Texas, and both are former residents of this city.

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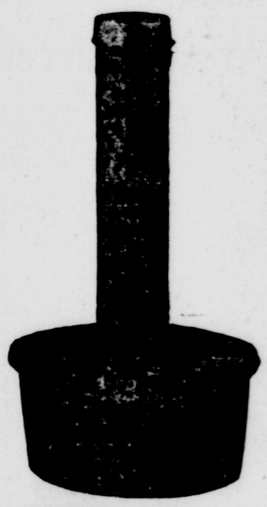

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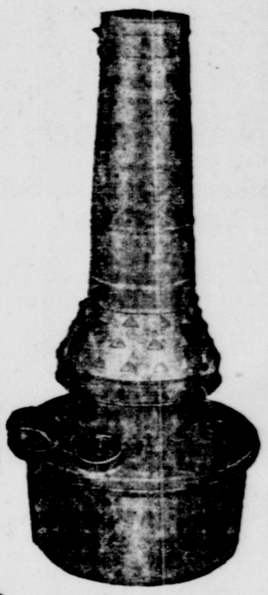

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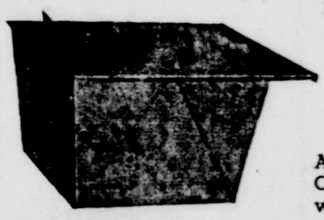

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NO TAX FOR OLMITO ROAD DANCY SAYS

Bond Payment Is To Come From Gas Levy

BROWNSVILLE—The issuance of $365,000 in bonds to finance a new road from Cavazos on the Military highway through Olmito to the port will not cost the taxpayers an extra penny, County Judge Oscar C. Dancy said Saturday.

There has been some confusion in the minds of the public, the judge added, as to how the proposed new road would be paid for.

"People have not believed you could issue bonds and not levy a tax," Judge Dancy said, "and say it looks too much like getting something for nothing.

"On the other hand, it is getting something for which we are already paying—the gas tax. We would pay for it whether or not we build the road. It is just a matter of getting something we are entitled to."

Bond Relief

Judge Dancy emphasized that the voting and the issuance of the bonds would be a step towards getting approximately $300,000 of bonds off on the one cent gas tax.

The state, the judge pointed out, will take over the $365,000 issue, enabling the road to be constructed at absolutely no cost to the county. The state money will come from the gas tax.

In reply to criticism that the money could better be spent on existing county roads, Judge Dancy explained that the state will finance only roads which have been designated as state highways. The proposed road has this designation.

Tax For Others

Improvement of county roads—especially those to farms—is needed, Judge Dancy said, but can be made only by placing an added burden on the taxpayer.

"We are up against a proposition that one always meets in every road bond issue—the problem of location," Judge Dancy said.

"Every little while someone comes in and wants to know why we are building this highway through Jackass Priarie when there are so many roads needed in the rich farming sections.

State Must Designate

"We could build these other roads, but it would take a tax on property, as there is not even a fighting chanc to get bonds off on the one cent tax, save on a state designated highway.

"It is on the theory of a Valley highway alone, shortening the distance and cutting out dangerous angles and turns, that we are able to sell this to the highway department as a state highway.

"The highway department only has an annual fund of $2,180,000 a year for lateral roads, and as this county already has two farm to market highways, it may be years before we get another."

Child Meet

Methodists To Hold District Parley

EDINBURG — Mrs. Murrie Bormann of McAllen, as district director of children's work for the First Methodist church, will preside at the children's division meeting here Wednesday. An interesting program of music and speeches has been prepared.

Mrs. J. C. Lovern will review the book, "Our Little Child Faces Life," as one of the highlights of the morning session.

During the afternoon age group meetings will be held. Mrs. Bormann will preside at the nursery-beginner section; Mrs. C. B. Kirgan at the primary section, and Mrs. C. T. Hardt for the juniors.

The district embraces the Brownsville division, including all Valley cities where the Methodist church is established.

Christian Service Message Announced

SAN BENITO — "Loss Through Absence" will be the sermon topic by Rev. G. C. Schurman at the 10:45 a.m. service at the First Christian Church. Special music will be a violin solo, "A Dream," to be played by Louis Valle. There will be no evening service because of the union services at the First Methodist Church for Company M, Texas National Guard.

French Governor Of Syria Said Killed

VICHY—(AP)—The French government permitted disclosure Saturday of the death of Jean Chiappe, new high commissioner for Syria, in a French air transport which crashed Nov. 27 after reporting in an SOS it was machine-gunned by a British fighter plane.

Chiappe was a former prefect of Paris police.

70,000 French From Lorraine Welcomed

VICHY, French —(AP)— Chief of State Marshal Philippe Petain reported in a message broadcast to his nation Saturday that 70,000 residents of Nazi-occupied Lorraine had arrived in the unoccupied zone of French.

Urging that they be received warmly "by the French brothers," he pointed out that they lost everything they had.

Recent High School Graduate Is Killed

WEST COLUMBIA, Texas—(AP)—Miss Lola Fay M'Neese, recent high school graduate, was killed Friday night when the auto in which she was a passenger struck the rear of a truck during a mist.

Two Michigan Nurses 'Get Tired' Of Routine, Board Bikes For Long Trip

Land In McAllen, To Continue Tour To California

McALLEN—Travel, which often broadens one, is nevertheless proving highly entertaining for a couple of Michigan nurses who tired of their daily routines and set out six weeks ago to bicycle their way around the country as long as their money holds out.

They are Misses Alma Wicks, Anne Arbor blonde, and Maxine Freeland, brunette from Mayville, Michigan.

Ride 1500 Miles

The pair arrived Friday in McAllen to reach the 1,500th mile of their trip, which started October 15. Of the distance they have covered, 900 miles have been pedaled while the remainder has been negotiated by the well-known thumb route. In fact, they hitched a 600-mile ride with a trucker who stowed their bikes in his car and brought them all the way to the Valley.

From McAllen, they plan to head north for Fort Worth Tuesday or Wednesday and from the "Cowtown" they will strike out for El Paso, Phoenix and California.

"Amazing Hospitality"

"The hospitality is what amazes us about people down here," Miss Wicks commented. "Why, we stopped at an orchard yesterday and the people went out to the trees and pulled off fruit and gave it to us. We thought the folks back in Michigan were hospitable—but not that much!"

Both Miss Wicks and Miss Freeland agree that travel is broadening. Miss Wicks has gained 12 pounds in the six weeks on the road. Miss Freeland, nine. Both are in excellent health, they say.

Just "Got Tired"

They "just got tired" of nursing and planned the trip. Miss Freeland previously had toured much of Europe and had spent six months in Australia. She has a gypsy urge, she confesses.

While here they attached McAllen Chamber of Commerce stickers to their bikes to prove how far they'd travelled south. After they reach California they don't know where they'll go. They are members of the American Youth Hostel, an organization of young travellers. The hostel is active in the east but hasn't yet been developed in the south.

On the 900 miles they have biked, neither has yet had a flat tire or a bit of machine trouble. Their longest jaunt was a four-hour ride of 60 miles from Brownsville, Tenn., to Memphis a couple of weeks ago.

"We just ride when we feel like it, and rest when we take a notion," said Miss Freeland.

They're spending the week-end in the Valley—sleeping in special sleeping bags they carry with them—and plan to leave after eating a Mexican meal Monday at Reynosa.

McALLEN—Misses Maxine Freeland, left, of Mayville, Michigan, and Miss Alma Wicks, Ann Arbor, who "just got tired" of being nurses in hospitals and started a long bicycle tour that will ultimately carry them to California, are shown as they arrived at the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building to get their Valley bearings. They will remain over to the week-end for a Mexican dinner south of the border, and will head back to Fort Worth next week.

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Roger W. Babson Says

Armament Building Will Go On For Another Generation Believes Babson; Sees No Fear Of Let-Down From War

By ROGER W. BABSON

NEW YORK CITY—People talk as if the Armament Program were only a flash-in-the-pan. They ask, "What will happen when the war stops?" I believe that armament activities will go on for at least another generation after the war ends. A new industry is being born. Hitler has laid the foundation for the greatest industrial boom the United States and Canada have ever witnessed. We may expect to see employment reach its highest peak in decades. Not only will unemployed men who now want to work find jobs, but the "slack" in unemployment (normally amounting to a "float" of some 4,000,000) will be taken up.

1940 Vs. 1917

No new industry was born between 1914 and 1919. A few airplanes were built, but they were of little consequence. The fact that France went into World War II with much the same equipment that she used in World War I proves my point. During World War I larger cannon and better machine guns were used and more ammunition consumed than in any previous war; —but no basic changes in big guns, rifles, or munitions took place. Certainly, nothing occurred to make obsolete, cities, factories, and even homes.

There is a vast difference between the world of 1940 as compared with the world of 1917. Hitler is brutal and is changing the map of Europe by a surgical process, but he is making a great contribution to the world in becoming the father of a new industrial revolution. Business has been looking for this during the past ten years. The armament industry for which Hitler is responsible holds a greater promise for future growth than does any present enterprise. Cities in the interior will benefit greatly from this new industry, especially smaller communities of from 10,000 to 20,000 population.

A Repeat Business

Almost every implement, device, or machine which enters into the defense industry picture involves repeat orders. I think of this not so much from destruction through which ammunition is consumed, guns and tanks blown up, or planes and ships destroyed, but rather from a quick obsolescence standpoint. Consider the changes that have taken place in fighting planes of all types, not from the end of World War I to the beginning of World War II, but just since the current affair started.

Wing-tip and fusalage machine gun installations are only one improvement out of many. Read the newspapers and technical journals to visualize the improvements that are taking place in mechanical, electrical, and chemical devices which are fast rendering obsolete existing implements of war whether these be planes, guns, tanks, rifles, or munitions. This does not take into account new inventions which for the most part remain secret.

New Forces Of Activity

Unless one is close to manufacturing and its relationship with the defense program, it is difficult to appreciate the importance of constant improvements and replacements. The production of defense products automatically sets up an entirely new group of repeat business and the growth of the defense industry is bound to continue after World War II is over. Entirely new products will arise as its technological processes develop.

Let me recall the first test of what ultimately brought about our modern battleship. After the Monitor sunk the Merrimac on March 9, 1862, did the building of iron ships stop with the ending of the Civil War? No,—the little Monitor started a great new industry, the building of iron and later of steel ships for use in both war and peace. The construction of ships is still going on. Out of this industrial pregnacy of Hitler's new and more far-reaching industry, new forms of ship construction, city planning, and buildings of all kinds will develop.

Remaking Factories, Homes, Schools, and Cities

Yes, as the bombing plane has changed warfare it is drastically changing the layout of cities and the architecture of factories, shops, and homes. New manufacturing plants are already being built without windows to avoid being located at night. They are also being divided into separate buildings so if one building is destroyed the other units can continue work. As cities have gradually been rebuilt to be more fireproof, so they now will be rebuilt to be bombproof. This will take many years. The defense industry does not mean solely the manufacturing of implements of war, but should ultimately result in changes in roads, water pipes, gas mains, and power stations.

The construction of homes must radically be changed to provide the greatest protection. Civilian population, which in today's warfare suffers so much, must be cared for through individual and mass shelters. School houses must be redesigned as well as theatres and other buildings. Additional subways must be built to take not only street cars, busses, and railroads underground, but to provide shelters for the public. There is no end to the amount of new construction work that Hitler has forced us into.

Conclusion

So many manufacturers were "burnt" in the last war and were left with unusable material and idle plants that they now are shy of war orders. Let me tell you, however, they are making a big mistake. This new business is of an entirely different nature. Manufacturers missed the boat once by going in too deep. If they are not careful they will miss it this time by going in too late!

Tourist Party

Excursion Is Planned For Tuesday

HARLINGEN—The first bridge and domino party of the new season was held at the tourist center at the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel Friday with 17 guests present.

Mrs. W. C. Bobb of Brainerd, Mich. held high score among the women guests and J. H. Light of Rockford, Ill. was high among the men. W. C. Cobb won high cut prize.

A pleasure excursion is scheduled to start from the tourist center at 2 p.m. Tuesday taking in private gardens, citrus groves and other points of interest. The tour will end at the First Presbyterian church where the tourists will be entertained by women of the church at an informal open house.

The delta of the Danube river produces 50,000 to 60,000 tons of fish annually.

FBI HAS FILE ON SABOTEURS

Destruction Schools Maintained, Said

NEW YORK—(AP)—Inspector Louis B. Nichols of the Federal Bureau of Investigation says the bureau has discovered an organized corps of sabotage agents in this country, knows their identity and has its eye on schools where they are trained in the technique of destruction.

In an address to the National Interfraternity Conference Friday, the administrative assistant to FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover said the saboteurs had been scrutinized by the FBI but they "haven't tried to start anything yet."

The FBI, he said, had found that the recent explosions and fires in defense industries had "not been acts of organized saboteurs."

FBI agents, he went on, had been sent to the so-called sabotage "schools" to obtain first-hand information on the technique taught.

Nichols charged that "subversive forces" had tried to maneuver the FBI into a position where it would have to make public its information and added:

"Nothing would please the totalitarian powers more than knowing exactly the information we possess concerning their activities. I can assure you that when the time comes that information will be used. But now it is far better to know who the foreign agents are, to gain control of their sources of information, to ascertain their methods of communication, than it is to expose them and have others take their places."

San Benito Defense Guard Fixes Drill

SAN BENITO—Local organization of the Texas Defense unit will meet for a first drill session at 8 p. m. Tuesday over the Roberts garage on South Sam Houston. Eighty men have enlisted in the guard of which Harry J. Harris is captain.

Methodists' Dinner Planned For Monday

SAN BENITO—First Methodist Church officials and their wives will meet for dinner at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the church dining room. Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Council of Brownsville, will be special guests. A business session will follow the dinner.

'Strip Picket' Act

Because her part in a movie had been cut out, Gerta Rozan picketed the offices of the producers and said she would remove one article of clothing each day until the part was restored. The first day (left) she shed her blouse, and the next, off came her skirt (right), The next day the studio capitulated.

The death rate from tuberculosis in the United States per 100,000 persons had decreased since 1910 from 250 to 50.

From 15 to 20 varities of apples grown in New York state are quoted on the New York City market.

GUARD'S CAMP IS CONTINUED

San Benito Unit May Go To Camp Bowie

SAN BENITO—Company M, Texas National Guard, mobilized at the armory here on the Brownsville highway, will continue in camp for several weeks, officials were advised Saturday. The unit was expected to be ordered to Camp Bowie at Brownwood, Texas, early in December.

Nine of the 123 enlisted men failed to pass physical examinations given this week by a medical board composed of Captain H. P. Hawk of Gainesville, Texas; Captain L. C. Bevil of Beaumont, and First Lieut. T. L. Pecora of Beaumont. Officers alos underwent tests but results have not yet been received.

All members of the unit will attend union services at the First Methodist church at 8 p. m. Sunday. Rev. G. C. Schurman of the First Christian church will deliver the principal sermon and his topic will be "Life Made Perfect."

Rev. Hugh Robertson of the Presbyterian church will offer the prayer and Scripture reading will be by Rev. C. S. McKinney of the First Baptist church. Rev. J. A. Russell will give the benediction.

Special music at the service will be presented by the high school mixed chorus directed by W. Edward Hatchett. The group will sing "God Bless America" and "A Prayer of Thanksgiving" accompanied at the piano by Marilyn Daughtrey.

Rob School Kitchen Of Cooking Utensils

RALEIGH, N. C. — (AP) — Maybe police had better check over the gourmets to find the thief who broke into the Boylan Heights school cafeteria.

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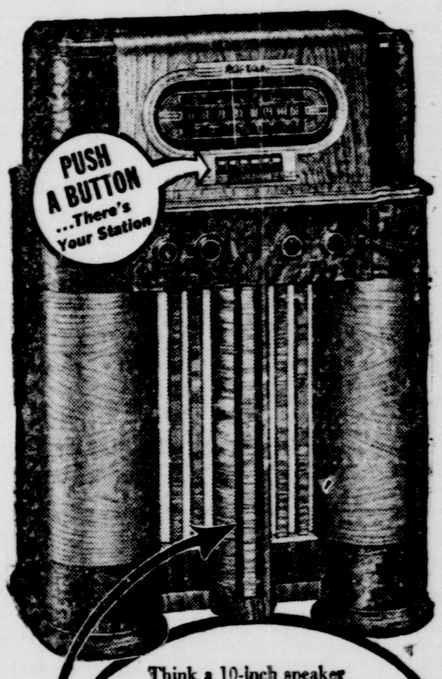

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RACE LEADERS ARE NAMED IN CHARRO DAYS

Regatta to Draw Top Boat Pilots

BROWNSVILLE — Officials for the 1941 Charro Days speedboat regatta have been named, according to R. W. Pitts of Brownsville, chairman of the race committee.

The regatta has been one of the big features of the fiesta each year, and is scheduled for February 28 in the next Charro Days. Top notch racers from many parts of the nation usually take part. Gar Wood Jr. has been one of the principal contestants in the past.

The Officials

The officials named are: James Mulroy or Charles Steele, of Chicago, representative of the National Outboard association; R. W. Pitts, general chairman; A. G. Hendricks of Corpus Christi, chief starter; Kenneth Clark of Brownsville, inspector-measurer; Ed Hinkly of Port Isabel, chief scorer; Bill Neely of Brownsville, assistant starter

Fred Petch of Donna, chief timer; Major John N. Merrill of Brownsville, referee; K. M. Bailey of Brownsville, summary man; Col. H. M. Shoemaker of Harlingen, clock man; W. O. Gundry of Weslaco, chronometer man; George Leonard of Brownsville, pit manager; Everett Easterly of Brownsville, gunner.

Others

Assistant timers will be Phil Amsler, Bob Ginn, H. N. Ferguson; assistant scorers, Fred Hanchett, Frank Libbee, and Eddie Valent; pit assistants, Bud Bingley, Milton Connell, R. R. Rentfro, R. D. Sauber, Eddie Andreas, Glenn Chapin, John Renfro, Lewis Lee, Bo Scott, La Salle Rorke, Bill, Earle, and Grant Pitch, and A. M. Olsen; pick-up boats, Tom Barber and Dr. Charles Calderoni.

In addition to the regatta, time trials are to be held, under sponsorship of the National Outboard association.

GIFT EXPERT TO AID FOLKS

Miss Ward to Be At Edelstein's

MISS LILLIE WARD

BROWNSVILLE —In Brownsville this week to help local folks with the gift problems, Miss Lillie Ward, who comes to the Valley from the Club Aluminum Products Co., Test Kitchen, Chicago, will be at Edelstein's Better Furniture store through Thursday, where she will be available for consultation.

While at Edelstein's Better Furniture store, Miss Ward will conduct continuous demonstrations daily, featuring the modern cooking methods for which Club Aluminum Hammercraft Waterless Cookware has long been famous—including waterless cooking of fresh vegetables and fruits, top-stove roasting, and top-stove baking. Free Christmas recipts will be givgiven to all who visit Miss Ward's demonstration.

During Miss Ward's visit, Edelstein's Better Furniture store is featuring a 7-piece set of Club Aluminum—a gift for any homemaker—at a special price, on very convenient terms.

'POWER' TOPIC FOR MEETING

BROWNSVILLE — The fifth annual conference of the young people of the West Texas Episcopal diocese will open here Friday, Dec. 6, with an attendance of approximately 100 expected.

Bishop W. T. Capers of San Antonio will attend, and principal speaker at the conference will be Rev. James Clements of Texas City.

Theme of the conference will be "Power." The conference will open at the Church of the Advent (Episcopal) here Friday, and meetings will be held all day Saturday. A banquet will be held Saturday night in the parish house and the conference will close at regular services of the church Sunday, at 11 a.m.

Bill Dunham of San Antonio is president of the conference.

Marriage Announced

BROWNSVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. John W. Butcher announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Doris Butcher, to Clyde Alexander of Fort Brown. The ceremony will be performed at the bride's home, 209 West First, at 8:30 p. m. Saturday, Dec. 7.

"STRONG MAN" DA VINCI

Besides all his other accomplishments, Leonardo da Vinci, the famous painter, was a "strong man," capable of bending iron bars with his bare hands.

Ladies Of Christian Church Plan Events

BROWNSVILLE—The Ladies Council of the Central Christian church plans two events for the coming week when the various circles observe an industrial day and sponsor a Mexican plate dinner as a benefit for the Bundles for Britain Thursday.

Meeting for the industrial day Monday, the circles will gather as follows: one, at the church for a Mexican dinner; two, with Mrs. F. I. Bretz; three, with Mrs. J. M. George, and four with Mrs Herman Loop.

Mrs. George Bowman is chairman in charge of the benefit supper to be served in the basement of the church between the hours of 5 and 8 o'clock.

SEES PEACE FEELER

LONDON—(AP)—Lord Queenborough predicted Saturday in a message to the Society of St. George, on which he is president, that as a result of the Axis setback in the Mediterranean and pressure of the British blockade "Germany may well shortly put out a (peace) 'feeler.'"

War Relief Job Starts Monday For Red Cross

BROWNSVILLE — Brownsville women will begin intensive knitting, sewing and crocheting for war sufferers with the re-opening of the Red Cross workroom Monday morning in a downstairs room in the Maltby building, opposite the White Kitchen.

Mrs. Ralph H. Eisaman, volunteer work chairman, announced the opening Saturday and issued a call for those who could sew, knit or crochet. All articles made will be sent to Britain, she said.

The workroom will be open between 9 and 11 weekdays.

Sweater yarns and wools have been received, Mrs. Eisaman said, and materials for layettes are expected soon. Volunteer workers may secure materials for work at the workroom for use there or to take home. Those experienced in knitting and crocheting will be on hand to aid the beginners.

Volunteer workers filled four boxes of sweaters, dresses, layettes and shawls earlier in the season to send to national headquarters for distribution, but the work was forced to a halt because of lack of material.

MINERALS IN OCEAN OOZE

The ocean floor's submarine ooze has been found to contain amounts of manganese, iron, tin, copper, gold, and other minerals known to exist in sea water.

Showers For Pharr Institute Set Monday

BROWNSVILLE — The pantry shelf of Pharr Institute will benefit when circles of the Women's Society for Christian Service of the First Methodist church meet. Each circle will hold a shower for the institute at its meeting.

Circles will meet as follows at 3 p. m.: one, with Mrs. M. D. Council; two, at the church; three, at the church; Young Matrons, Mrs. James E. Haywood; Lucy Rae, Mrs. C. H. Harden.

Mrs. M. J. Tipton To Lead Program

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Maurice J. Tipton will be leader of the topic at the meeting of the Wednesday study club this week with Mrs. Gerald E. Lauver.

Mrs. Tipton's topic will be "The Trend of The Youth Movement."

Symbolism of Church Topic For Auxiliary

BROWNSVILLE— "The Symbolism of Our Church" will be the topic of an address by the Rev. John Phillips, new rector of St. Albans church in Harlingen, when members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of the Advent (Episcopal) meet at the parish house Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The business and program session will be concluded with a social hour.

Pan American Round Table Meets Friday

BROWNSVILLE—Regular monthly meeting of the Pan American Round Table will be held at 1 o'clock Friday at El Jardin hotel.

Mrs. J. Grider Perkins will be program leader, and will have as her topic Brazil.

Army Life Better Than Pa

By MILTON BRONNER
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON—John Q. Citizen will ultimately get his whack at K. P. duty. In other words, kitchen police. All his life he has heard about K. P. from men who have been in the army.

In sorg and story he has heard about spending miserable hours under the tyranny of the mess sergeant and saying, "Yes, sir" to the cooks, lest they heave a cleaver at the offender. Also he has heard that, aside from the fact that each private will at some time during the weeks have to do K. P. duty, this service is also handed out as a minor punishment for slight offenses.

But when he actually goes on K. P. in the new American army, the draftee is likely to find it is not as black as it had been painted. The one thing most soldiers hated was peeling "spuds" all day long. In a good many camps the government has now installed potato-peeling machines.

There is also machinery for washing pots and pans. However, there is no guarantee that a draftee will find a mess so equipped. He may still have to wield the old knife on the "spuds" and scrub pots and pans by hand.

His one consolation will be that K. P. duty does not last long and that, after it is over, a long interval is apt to follow before he is "elected" again.

The rookie will learn how to care for his own mess kit when he is in the field. It must be kept scrupulously clean. Once a day—or oftener—it will be inspected for uncleanliness which might lead to dysentery. Each man, of course, must wash his own kit. Three large cans will be provided—one of soapy water, the other two containing hot water for rinsing.

Army cooks are taken from the ranks, each organization supplying its own. In the new army, there may be some novices, but every effort is being made to uphold the tradition that the U. S. Army has better food than any other army in the world.

The draftee will also learn that his new life is not that of half soldier, half prisoner. He will usually be free on Saturday afternoons and Sundays. If he is religiously inclined, he will have opportunity to go to church or chapel.

Leave from camp will be fairly liberal. John Q. will be able to go

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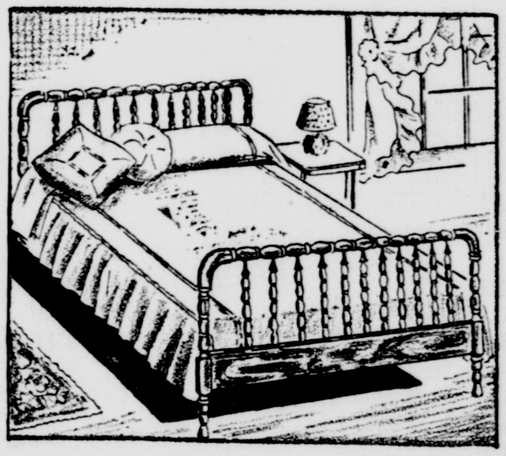

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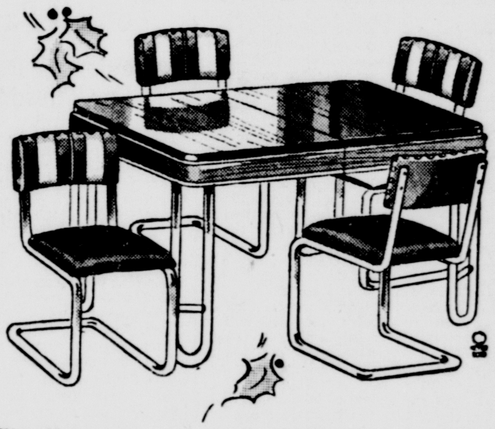

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SAVE $1.00 on this 10½-inch Chicken Fryer

Makes food tender and juicy. Former home demonstration price $9.95.
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SAVE $1.49 on this one-quart SAUCE PAN
Cooks fresh vegetables and fruits the "waterless" way.
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A Christmas Sale Value For Your Living Room

Your Living Room will be used during the Holiday season, as the meeting place of your family and friends. Surprise your loved ones with the gift of a new Living Room Suite.
Budget Plan Terms 95c Weekly
Regular $59.50 value two-piece LIVING ROOM SUITE consisting of comfort table Sofa and Club Chair,
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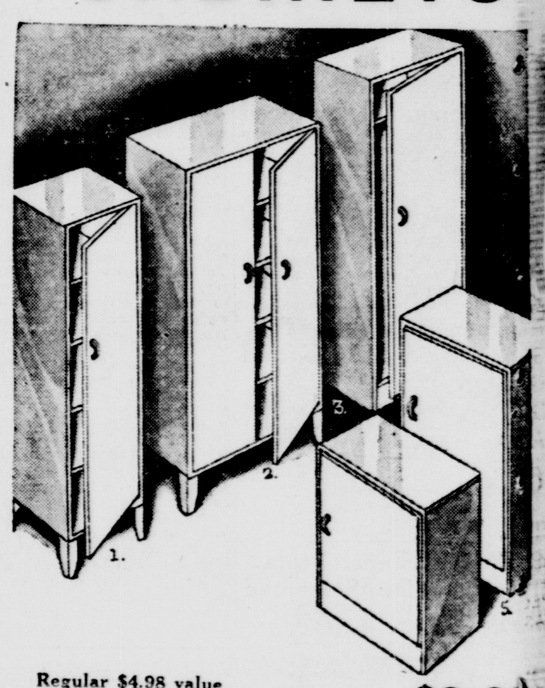

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not as black as it had been painted. The one thing most soldiers hated was peeling "spuds" all day long. In a good many camps the government has now installed potato-peeling machines.

There is also machinery for washing pots and pans. However, there is no guarantee that a draftee will find a mess so equipped. He may still have to wield the old knife on the "spuds" and scrub pots and pans by hand.

His one consolation will be that K. P. duty does not last long and that, after it is over, a long interval is apt to follow before he is "elected" again.

The rookie will learn how to care for his own mess kit when in the field. It must be kept scrupulously clean. Once a day—or oftener—it will be inspected for uncleanliness which might lead to dysentery. Each man, of course, must wash his own kit. Three large cans will be provided—one of soapy water, the other two containing hot water for rinsing.

Army cooks are taken from the ranks, each organization supplying its own. In the new army, there may be some novices, but every effort is being made to uphold the tradition that the U. S. Army has better food than any other army in the world.

The draftee will also learn that his new life is not that of half soldier, half prisoner. He will usually be free on Saturday afternoons and Sundays. If he is religiously inclined, he will have opportunity to go to church or chapel.

Leave from camp will be fairly liberal. John Q. will be able to go to the nearest town at night, provided he gets back in time for taps. In many cases officers may not require a pass.

The draftee will be encouraged to take part in outdoor games. He will be able to keep up his courses in correspondence schools. In fact, he will be quite surprised to find how much time he can call entirely his own.

MISS BRULAY HOME

BROWNSVILLE—Miss Inez Brulay returned to Brownsville Saturday from Austin where she spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her cousin, Miss Lucille Marshall of Waco, a University of Texas student.

Argentina has 24,532 miles of railroads.

Christmas Program Features Session

BROWNSVILLE — A Christmas program and an exchange of gifts among the members will feature the Saturday afternoon meeting of the Fort Brown chapter, Daughters of the Texas Republic.

Mrs. L. K. Morris will be hostess at 3 p. m. at her home.

HOLIDAY GUESTS

BROWNSVILLE — Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Hamilton were Mrs. Hamilton's mother and sister, Mrs. M. Mellum and Mrs. Roy R. Roberts, both of Harlingen.

SEE BIG GAME

RANGERVILLE—Darrow Parmer, Curtis Shiflet, John Wesley Parmer, Enrico Buffo and Carl Kaigler attended the Texas Aggies vs University of Texas game. They returned here early Friday morning.

Mexico's Wireless Being Modernized

MEXICO CITY —(AP)—Extensive modernization and improvement of the government wireless system is now under way, the federal department of mails and telegraphs announced Saturday.

Construction of 10 new radio transmitting stations and four emergency power plants in various parts of the republic will be included in the program, the government said.

Brazilians Attend Mexico's Inaugural

MEXICO CITY — (AP) — Special Brazilian envoys General Amaro Soares Bettencourt and Lieut. Col. Stenio C. Lima arrived here Saturday by plane to take part in Sunday's inauguration of President-Elect General Manuel Avila Camacho.

Federal Trucks Must Bow To State Road Law, Rule

AUSTIN, Tex. —(AP)— Attorney General Gerald C. Mann is of the opinion state police can arrest drivers of federal government trucks if the trucks are overweight and violating Texas laws.

He so informed Police Director Homer Garrison, Jr., Monday after Garrison submitted regulations of the U. S. Department of Agriculture to the effect the department may perform the functions delegated to it by Congress in the state of Texas without conforming strictly to the highway laws and regulations of the state."

"There would seem no logical reason why the soil conservation service cannot operate trucks which comply with state regulations," Mann stated. "The use to which they are put does not appear to be such as to demand a radically different type of vehicle from those authorized to operate under state law. Nor does it appear necessary in carrying out the powers and functions of the soil conservation service that loads in excess of 7,000 pounds must be hauled.

Asked whether his patrolmen would be instructed to arrest drivers of overweight federal trucks, Garrison said:

"Well, we always have."

Rainbows may sometimes be seen all day long in Siberia, due to the reflection of the sun on fine particles of snow in the air.

Dr. Wm. R. Ross Weds Miss Mary Galloway

BROWNSVILLE — Announcements are being received here telling of the marriage of Miss Mary Margaret Galloway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Galloway, all of Dallas, to Dr. William Rutledge Ross, of Dallas, son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Ross of Brownsville.

The marriage was solemnized Wednesday morning, November 20 in Holy Trinity church in Dallas. Dr. and Mrs. Ross are at home at 3229 San Jacinto in Dallas.

Dr. Ross, who received his earlier education in Brownsville, received his degree in medicine in June from Baylor Medical school. He is serving as interne at St. Paul's hospital in Dallas.

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The bureau of mines reported Saturday stocks of domestic and foreign crude petroleum at the close of the week ended Nov. 23 totaled 261,723,000 barrels, a net increase of 104,000 barrels compared with the previous week. Stocks of domestic oil decreased 15,000 barrels for the week and foreign crude increased 119,000 barrels.

JARDIN GIVES ALL STUDENTS PLENTY FOOD

School Neatly Solves Old Problem

BROWNSVILLE — More than 5,000 cans of condensed milk, several tons of flour, meal, meat, fresh fruit and dried fruit and an abundance of green vegetables and the application of Rio Grande Valley ingenuity provide assurance that there will be no hungry school children in El Jardin community this year.

And to a group of community leaders goes the credit for solving—so far as their local school is concerned—the intricate problem of overproduction and underconsumption. In a word, they have neatly balanced surplus against hunger; the result is the absence of empty "tummies," a healthier crop of youngsters and increased efficiency.

Tough Problem

When the school term opened last fall, El Jardin, like most other communities, faced the perplexing question of how to care for the many underprivileged children who were not getting enough to eat. Dozens of pupils brought meager lunches of only one tortilla and a few frijoles, while some did without lunch entirely.

With the aid of government employees, members of the Parent-Teacher association of which Mrs. John Whitlow is president, applied for and received provisions from the Surplus Commodities corporation. A supervisor, Mrs. W. S. Callaway, was chosen to direct cooking and serving the food, and cash donations were sought from people of the community. Five student employees of the National Youth Administration assisted with the serving, and patrons of the school volunteered their services.

Pay If Able

Those who were able to pay were expected to donate to the lunch fund, while those unable to pay were allowed to eat free. Surprising to some, the program sustained itself financially.

But as far as food was concerned, the problem was only partially solved, since the provisions received did not include perishables necessary to a balanced diet. The supervisor hit upon the idea of getting donations of fresh vegetables and other perishables from those unable to pay cash, and now a steaming hot, balanced diet is served at a minimum expense to all pupils and teachers who care to eat in the lunch room, which is the home economics kitchen of the high school.

Some Brownsville merchants donated food also.

Five WPA workers and one NYA worker now prepare and serve the food and operate the program under direction of the supervisor. All the WPA workers wear uniforms, and all who work in the kitchen have had health examinations.

The teacher of each home room collects money from students and gives it to the supervisor weekly.

Many Gain Weight

When the pupils first started eating in the lunch room, it was evident that some apparently had never eaten before with knife, fork or spoon.

Some were so extremely hungry that they bolted their food and drink and actually had stomach disturbances. Teachers found it necessary to stress slower and more mannerly eating and are determined that much more progress is needed in these.

It is natural for children to gain weight, but those in charge believe the lunches have helped the pupils materially in gaining weight. Eighty-six per cent of all pupils and teachers eating in the lunch room the past two months have gained from one to 13 pounds, a recent check revealed.

Teachers say the benefits of the program are not only reflected in higher average daily attendance, better school grades and discipline, but in a better morale among parents.

"After all," teachers asserted, "the strongest deterrent to good citizenship is an empty stomach."

VOTE PLACES ARE SET OUT

Road District Ballot Up Dec. 7

BROWNSVILLE — There will be seven polling places in the $365,000 road bond issue election Dec. 7.

Only voters living in Precincts 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 of Cameron county will be eligible to vote.

These precincts are within the boundaries of Road District No. 1, created recently by the commissioners' court.

Here is the polling place list:

Residents of Precinct 4 will vote at their regular box at Olmito.

Residents of Precincts 5, 6, and 7, will vote at the Fourth Ward school.

Residents of Precincts 8, 9 and 10 will vote at St. Joseph's academy.

Residents of Precincts 11, 12 and 13 will vote at the Junior high school.

Residents of Precinct 14 will vote at their regular box at the El Jardin school.

Residents of Precinct 15 will vote at the Blalock school.

Residents of precinct 16 will vote at the home of Mrs. Emelia T. Canul at Villanueva.

Dec. 7 will be the first Saturday in December.

The dry spell of 1930 exceeded in duration and aridity any ever recorded in 95 years of U. S. Weather Bureau records.

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SAVE $1.00 on this 10½-inch CLUB ALUMINUM FRY PAN

Broils quickly and uniformly. Useful every day.
Regular price $2.95
CHRISTMAS SALE PRICE
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ALL BEDROOM SUITES ARE INCLUDED IN THIS GREAT CHRISTMAS SALE

Furniture should be first on your gift list for members of your family—for furniture is used every day and night in every home.

SEE THE SPECIAL MODERN DESIGN FOUR-PIECE BEDROOM SUITE
consisting of Vanity Dresser with large Mirror, Chest of drawers, full-size Bed, and Vanity Bench, SPECIALLY PRICED AT
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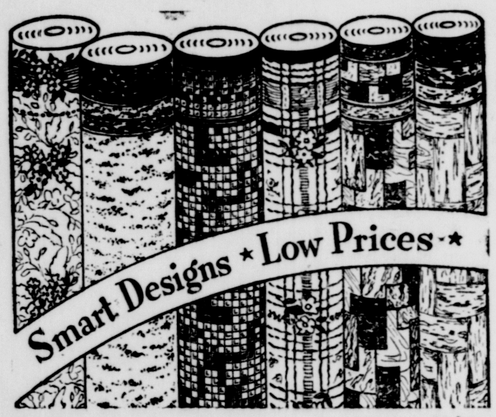
ECONOMICAL BUDGET PLAN TERMS GLADLY ARRANGED

FELT BASE RUG BARGAINS



6 by 9-foot size FELT BASE RUG . . . $2.95
7½ by 9 foot size FEL BASE RUG . . . $3.45
9 by 12-foot size FEL BASE RUG . . . $4.95

BUDGET PLAN TERMS 50 CENTS WEEKLY.

20-PIECE BRIDGE SET
including dish service for four, and table cover and four napkins. Dishes are in a very attractive decorated design.
A practical gift
NOW ONLY $1.98

SEWING CABINETS
Complete with needles, thread, thimble, measuring tape, and scissors. A welcome gift to every one who sews.
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COOKIE JARS
In your choice of green, yellow, white, red, and black
All complete with cover.
An attractive and appropriate gift.
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Newest designs; in ecru color; 72 by 90-inch size
Regular $2.98 value
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A SPARKLING BUFFETERIA SET
Consists of round tray, five triangular trays, one center dish cover, and one spoon,
Regular $2.49 value
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ELECTRIC IRON
complete with cord.

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BEAUTIFUL 8-PIECE
SPARKLING GLASS PUNCH SET
Consists of large glass Punch Bowl and stand, and six attractively designed cups
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Select a lovely, comfortable, durable LOUNGE CHAIR AND OTTOMAN

"He" always wants a comfortable, luxurious Chair in which he can read—or relax, and our large stock will enable you to quickly find just the Chair and Ottoman to send as your gift.
A regular $19.95 value PRICED
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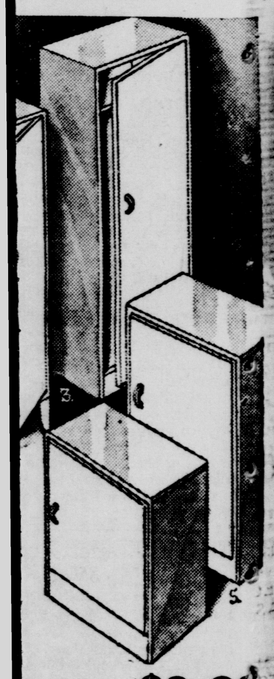

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Regular $6.95 value
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Constructed with sturdy frame and arms; heavy coil spring construction in seat.

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SAVE $1.16 on this fine STEAK SIZZLER
Broils food on top of the stove—and serves it sizzling hot.
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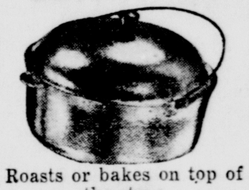
SAVE $1.00 on this 4½-quart DUTCH OVEN



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Former home luncheon Price $10.95
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All Prices Quoted Are Net. Small Carrying Charge on Budget Accounts.

TOURISTS TO SEE DONNA'S 'DIA GRANDE'

McAllen's Activities Are Listed

McALLEN—A massed tourist trip to the Donna Dia Grande Days celebration Friday will top the nine dates scheduled for McAllen visitors this week.

This week-long entertainment will open Monday at 4 p. m. with a tour to Reynosa, a wild game dinner and return to McAllen in time for the open band rehearsal at the junior high school auditorium at 7:30 p. m. that night.

At 10 a. m. Tuesday the Spanish club will meet at Legion hall and at 11 a. m. the sewing club will gather in the same building where a game party will be held at 2 p. m. All tourists and visitors are invited to attend. Tourist officials promise every game on the books will be played so no one will be overlooked.

A tour to Sullivan City, the gateway to the Valley's great oil field, and the Goodwin Orchards will leave here at 1:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Friday at 10 a. m. the Spanish club will again gather at Legion hall.

All tourists in the city are asked to join the conducted motorcade leaving here at 3 p. m. Friday to attend the Dia Grande celebration and see the Bougainvillea March of Time pageant. En route to Donna stops will be made at the fernery and one of the water pumping stations.

Citrus Returns

Donna's First Pool Checks Received

DONNA — Grower members of the Donna Citrus Association have, during the past few days, received checks in settlement of the first pool returns on various varieties of citrus fruit marketed since the opening of the season.

Officials of the Association announced the following averages which are being paid to their growers after all expenses are deducted: Marsh Seedless, $23.49 per ton, Pink Marsh, $47.44 per ton, Foster Pinks, $29.21 per ton, Pineapple Oranges, $25.25 a ton, Hamlin Oranges, $29.68 a ton, and Naval Oranges, $23.33 a ton.

In addition to these returns, the members of the Association will also receive rebates on packing costs at the close of the season. It is the practice of the association to deduct an estimated charge when making early pool settlements and to rebate the difference between these estimated charges and the actual cost figures at the close of the season.

Leader Says Russia Ringed By Enemies

MOSCOW—(AP)—Michael Kalinin, head of the All-Russian Central Executive Committee and to all effects president of the Soviet Union, has described Russia as a "besieged fortress" covering one-sixth of the world while "the other five-sixths of the world are our irreconcilable enemies on principle."

He made the declaration in a speech before the Lenin Military and Political Academy Sept. 17 which was made public Saturday in the organ of the Red Army, Red Star.

Siamese Admit They Bombed Indo-China

SINGAPORE—(AP)—Official Thai (Siamese) quarters here confirmed that the Thai airforce had bombed Thakhek and Savannakhet, French Indo-China border towns, in "reprisal" for an alleged French bombing of Thailand.

A communique from Bankgok, Thailand's capital, charged that Thailand territory was bombed Friday.

Peace Treaty Fails To Change US Policy

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Secretary Hull said Saturday that the United States "of course continues to recognize" the Chungking government of General Chiang-Kai-Shek.

He made this assertion when reporters asked him for comment on the peace treaty between Japan and the Japanese-sponsored Chinese government at Nanking.

French Communists Are Being Arrested

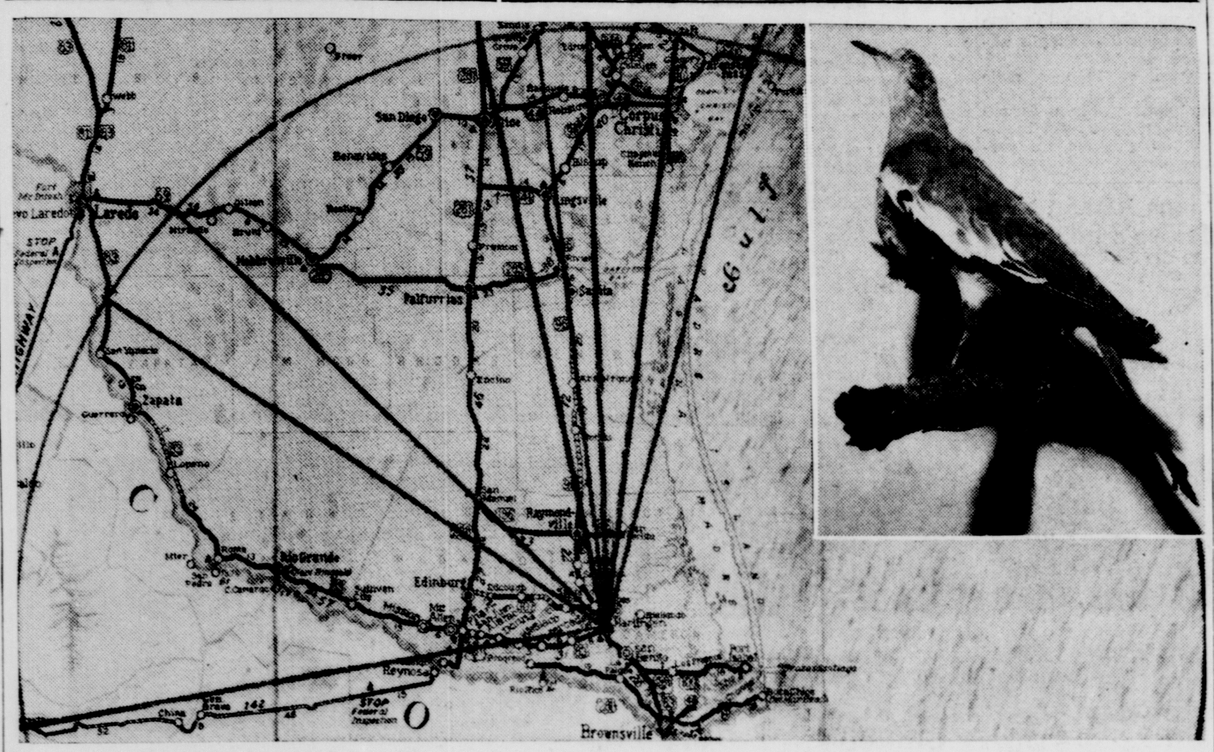
VICHY, France—(AP)—The arrest of Louis Thorez, brother of the leader of the French Communist party, was reported Saturday in a dispatch from Paris telling of the roundup of a well-organized" band operating among Parisian students.

Police also were reported to have arrested 26 Communists at Arles and interned 61 other "undesirables."

VISITORS DEPART

HARLINGEN — Mr. and Mrs. David Taylor have returned to their home in Cristobal, Canal Zone, after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Preston at Combes.

If Killed Whitewings Were Placed End To End—



Early in the whitewing season which closed in the Valley Saturday, Game Warden Charlie Jones estimated 4,000 hunters would kill 1,000,000 whitewings during the hunting season. Placed wing to wing, that many birds stretches out to some 142 miles, figuring the average bird as having a wingspread of 9 inches. So a million dead whitewings, placed wingtip to wingtip, would stretch from Harlingen to such points as Aransas Pass, Taft, Sandia, and Mirando City, as the above map shows. It would also reach to within a few miles of Freer, Laredo or Monterrey. Which you will admit, is stretching it quite a bit. At that, 4,000 hunters did quite a bit of blasting. With only 44 hunting days, they averaged killing 250 birds each for the season, or nearly six birds per day per nimrod.

Former Valley Man Plays Major Role In 1940 Success Of State Fair In Person Of Harry Seay, Show's Chief

McALLEN—This year's State Fair of Texas at Dallas broke numerous records for the annual exposition, and the man chiefly responsible is a former Valley resident.

He is Harry L. Seay, who maintained a home near Mercedes for several years and was prominently identified with development of the Rio Grande Valley as head of the American Land and Irrigation Company.

Seay has been president of the State Fair Association for the past two years.

New Records Established

In a recent letter to a Valley friend, Seay declared the fair "has assumed such proportions that it keeps one busy the year round, but for a month or two before it opens, for the 16 days it is in operation, and for about 30 days after it closes it is about the busiest place you ever saw.

"This year we broke several records. We had the largest opening day crowd, the largest single day's crowd (215,000) and the largest 16-day attendance, 1,116,000, or an average of nearly 70,000 per day.

"What looks most encouraging is that we have paid all of our bills and have a little over $20,000 in cash in the bank. I am not familiar with the yearly records throughout the years, but imagine that is going to be another record. It is awfully hard work, but the most interesting work imaginable. There is never a dull moment. One day you are working with cattlemen, another time with the farmers, the horse-raisers, chicken raisers, dairymen. Then we have the industrial exhibits, arts and textiles.

Continue New Plan

"We have to arrange for a show in our auditorium. This year we erected a stage in front of the old race track grandstand and had an open air performance which turned out very well and we will probably continue it. Last year we had the Tipica Orchestra from Mexico City which made quite a hit. This year we couldn't get the Tipica, but we had four Mariachi bands consolidated into one and trained by Maestro Vasquez of the University of Mexico. I believe it was better received than the Tipica. There is a wide difference between the two. The Tipica are all trained musicians, while the Mariachis are natural musicians. The Tipica played a great deal of the classical music, which the Mariachis stuck to folk songs and dances and strictly Mexican music.

"An amusing incident occurred last year on the opening night of the fair at the Queen of Queens. The old maestro Lerdo Tejada thought it would be a courteous gesture to open his program with an American selection. The crowd were all eager to hear the beautiful Mexican music, and you can imagine their surprise when he opened up with 'The Beer Barrel Polka.'

Mexican Programs

"The Mariachis did not attempt any American jazz, but all programs were strictly Mexican.

"We had three big football games and nine high school games. We had the largest and best cattle exhibit ever held in the United States and possibly in the world, as I do not know of any country that features cattle like we do.

"'Negro Day' was the most interesting day we had. Over 80,000 Negroes were on the grounds and they enjoyed it more than any others, and they were about the best behaved crowds we had."

Seay also is a former president of the Southland Life Insurance Company.

Suspect Nabbed

Indicted Texan May Be Extradited

COMANCHE —(AP)— Sheriff Wid Spivey said Saturday Clifford Brook, 20, indicted here two weeks ago in the slaying of J. D. Couch, 64, had been arrested at Claremore, Okla.

Frank Barton, 19, is in jail here also charged with the slaying. Couch's nearly nude body was found in his dugout home near Gustine, Tex., last Aug. 18. He was believed to have been slain and robbed two days before the body was found.

Sheriff Spivey said extradition proceedings for Brook, who is held by the Claremore sheriff, were pending.

Newsstand Is Upheld In Court Decision

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—Declaring that "liberty of circulating" newspapers is as essential to freedom of the press as "liberty of publishing," Judge L. Stauffer Oliver refused Saturday to order the removal of a newsstand from a street corner adjoining the property of a complaining land-owner.

The property owner contended the newsstand was a public nuisance.

XMAS LIGHTS ARE PUT UP

Streets At McAllen Get Decorations

McALLEN—McAllen's Main street assumed a Christmas-time expression Saturday as workmen completed hanging balsam ropes, electrically lighted, throughout the business area.

With practically all the stores decorated for the holiday shoppers with gay red and green color combinations, it appeared that the Christmas season had begun.

Additional decorative effects will be installed within the next few days.

The decorations are being paid from a fund collected by the McAllen Junior Chamber of Commerce members from the downtown merchants.

Some American colleges now are offering courses in the Economics of Canada.

CHARRO DAYS PLANS SHAPE

Won't Permit Shaves After Christmas

BROWNSVILLE — Brownsville's muchly-publicized Charro Days celebration is only three months away and officials began to swing into their final arrangements here this week.

Friday noon civic leaders who will conduct the finance drive met at the White Kitchen and mapped their plans.

Robin M. Pate, president of Charro Days, announced Friday that arrangements had been completed for the parade, pageant, carnival and rodeo.

John B. Rogers Company of Fostoria, Ohio, will be in charge of the huge "Court of Nations" pageant to be staged at Tucker Field. Local school officials are already working on plans for this event.

Kohler and Crofoot of Brownsville have been awarded the contract for construction of the many floats to be used in the spectacular daytime and night parades.

Alamo Shows has been given permission for the carnival concession.

The rodeo will be in charge of that famous westerner, Col. Zack Miller, who will not only bring many of his colorful performers here, but will act as master of ceremonies.

Plans for the Charro Days Regatta, which will bring such famous outboard racers as Gar Wood and Worth Boggeman here, were announced here Friday by R. W. Pitts, chairman of the race committee.

The regatta will be held on Sunday, February 23.

Last scheduled shave for Brownsville residents was set for Christmas Day, after which any male resident of the area appearing on the streets with a clean shaven face faces "stiff" penalties from the Charro Court of the Brush.

Bolivian Married

Valley Woman Weds Randolph Flier

SAN ANTONIO—Lieut. Federico Pol of the Bolivian air corps was married at the Catholic Shrine of the Little Flower Saturday to Miss Estella Canales, daughter of Jesus M. Canales, Premont business man, and a niece of J. T. Canales, Brownsville attorney.

A civil ceremony preceded the church wedding. The bridegroom is a graduate of Randolph Field. The couple left for a New York honeymoon, after which they will go to Washington where Lieut. Pol will report to the Bolivian legation pending assignment.

Shades Of Jules Verne, A Booster

BROWNSVILLE—The Valley of Tomorrow—a dream in technicolor beyond the expectations or imaginations of the region's greatest boosters—is pictured in a 10-page letter received Saturday by the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce.

The letter comes—of all places—from California, and its writer has been unanimously voted the No. 1 Valley Booster.

A world's fair in the Valley in 1943, four-lane highways, seawalls, streamlined railways, causeways, a Valley university, are a few of the desired objectives pictured in the communication, from James D. Lindsey, now with Company D, 17th Infantry, Fort Ord, Monterey, California.

Wants World Fair

"I believe the Lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas should have a world's fair in 1943," writes Lindsey. "It should have a World's Fair because, in the first place, the Valley is large enough and wealthy enough . . .

"The Valley will be the First City in Texas before 1943, although it is only the fourth city now.

"But before the Valley has a World's Fair, there are several things should be done. First, the Valley should decide the location of the fair.

"I believe the best place would be at or near Del Mar. Of course every city would help decide the location, because all will share in the expense.

A Mere Trifle

"The second thing the Valley should do is to build at least 4,000 more miles of concrete highway.

The third thing the Valley should do is to have the Texas state highway department make four-lane highways out of all the state highways there.

"The fourth thing is to plant palms and purple sage along all the highways. All the highways should be lighted at night, the main highways to be flanked with sidewalks.

"Where every street, state or county highway crosses a railroad, the street or highway should be under the railroad by viaduct or underpass.

And Bridges, Too

"A large four-lane bridge should be built from Del Mar to Port Isabel, another four-lane bridge from Del Mar to Brazos Island, another four-lane bridge from Brazos Island to Padre Island, and still another four-lane bridge from Padre Island to Port Isabel, and the fifth large four-lane bridge should go from the north end of Brazos Island to Port Isabel.

"These five large bridges should be built high enough above water to allow ocean-going ships to pass under them, and the bridges should be lighted at night.

"Five great sea walls should be built in the Valley, as large as the one at Galveston. One sea wall should be built at Del Mar, one at the south end of Brazos Island, one at the north end of Brazos Island, one at the south end of Padre Island, and the fifth at Port Isabel.

"The Valley should have at least one $25,000,000 college, with a great football team.

"Seven hotels, large as the Roosevelt in New Orleans, should be built in Brownsville, three large hospitals as large as the Jefferson Davis in Houston, 35 new large golf courses should be built in the Valley.

More Details

"A streamlined railway should run from Rio Grande City to Brownsville, to Del Mar, to Port Isabel, to Harlingen, from Harlingen back to Rio Grande City. The streamlined railway should be at least a two-way track.

"Large depots should be built, as large as the union depot in Houston.

"A four-lane highway should run from Raymondville to Corpus Christi. The Valley should be able to get these things with help from the federal government.

"The World's Fair of 1943 should cost about $85,000,000. The government will give the Valley 50 years to pay this back, but the Valley can do it in 10 years.

"I sure hope the Valley will have a World's Fair in 1943 because to show the world, the South can do something great. Texas can do something great, and the greatest place in the world, the Valley can do something great."

CHURCH SENDS CITRUS FRUIT

Carload Planned For Methodist Home

HARLINGEN—Valley churches of the Southwest Texas Methodist Conference, which for the last dozen years have sent a carload of citrus fruit to the Methodist Children's Home at Waco, will send the 1940 shipment December 14.

This carload of fruit is in addition to their regular donation of money since the home is not an endowed institution and depends on free will offerings of Texas and New Mexico Methodist for its maintenance.

District superintendents for the funds campaign include Rev. M. D. Council, Brownsville.

VISIT IN DONNA

DONNA — Mrs. A. S. Pike and small son of Conroe are spending the holidays with Mrs. Pike's mother, Mrs. B. C. Yerger in Donna.

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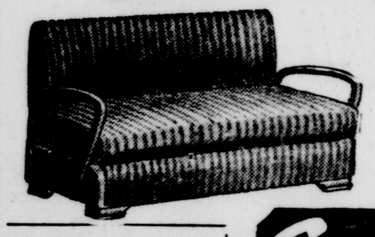

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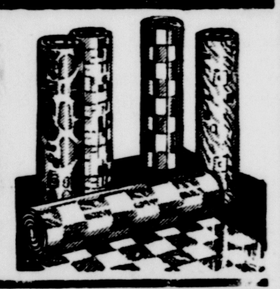

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Texas Record Vote Now Made Official

Total Of 1,041,168 Ballots Cast For State Presidential Electors Tops 1932

By The Associated Press

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texans stuffed a record 1,041,168 votes for presidential electors into ballot boxes November 5.

The state's election board's canvass of voting Saturday showed the total exceeded by 191,630 the vote in the 1932 general election, the previous record, and by 198,630 the 1936 vote.

The results were certified as official although 33 of the state's 254 counties failed to report within the statutory deadline which was November 25.

Results of the gubernatorial race will be canvassed by the House of Representatives after January 14. This is a requirement of law. The governor is a member of the election board.

Democratic electors garnered 840,151 votes and others were distributed as follows: Republican 199,152; Socialist 728; Communist 212; Prohibition 925.

Senate Race Pattern

With one exception, the race for U. S. Senate established the pattern for other state-wide races. Senator Tom Connally received 978,095 votes. The Republican candidate, George I. Shannon of Amarillo, got 59,340. Homer Brooks of Houston, the Communist standard bearer, received 408.

The exception was the agricultural commissioner contest in which J. E. McDonald was re-elected with a total vote of 647,911. W. N. Bill Corry of Keller was announced as a independent after McDonald, a Democrat, advocated the election of Wendell L. Willkie got 453,573 write-in votes. O. T. Campbell of Waco, the Communist candidate, received 5,755 in the scramle that developed Tom Martin of Johnson City, a second independent, won 8,816 and some 60 persons shared the remaining 696 votes.

Amendment Vetoed

Voters defeated, 207,053 to 167,204 a constitutional amendment authorizing Red River county to levy a special tax to refund county warrants.

Other amendments carried, as follows:

Appointment of notaries public by the secretary of state—318,061 for, 155,964 against.

Exempting municipal appointive officers and employes from the constitutional two-year term limitation—222,559 for, 147,919 against.

Authorizing direct appeal to the supreme court from trial court injunctions involving the constitutionality of laws or administrative orders—268,645 for, 114,343 against.

Alexander High

The highest individual vote, 999,635, went to James P. Alexander of Waco, Democratic candidate for chief justice of the supreme court.

Other results in state-wide races included:

Attorney general—Mann (D) 995,626; Lane (R) 54,757; Wright (C) 280.

Chief justice supreme court—Alexander (D) 999,843; Beckenstein (R) 55,506.

Associate justice supreme court—Sharp (D) 993,635; Ingram (R) 55,768.

Criminal Appeals

Associate justice court criminal appeals—Beauchamp (D) 998,477; Nossaman (R) 55,529.

Railroad commissioner — Culberson (D) 996,363; McDowell (R) 55,190; Hardaway (C) 276.

Comptroller—Sheppard (D) 999,679; Gunst (R) 55,038.

Commissioner general land office—Giles (D) 998,408; Sweet (R) 55,438.

Treasurer

Treasurer—Lockhart (D) 996,982; Bullington (R) 55,518.

State superintendent public instruction—Woods (D) 995,930; Mrs. M. Brents Witty (R) 55,270.

Commissioner of agriculture—McDonald (D) 647,911; Corry (Ind) 453,573; Campbell (C) 5,755; Martin (Ind) 8,616.

Constitutional Amendments

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DONNA'S FETE SENDS ENVOYS

Motorcade To Tour Valley Monday

DONNA—All arrangements have been completed for Donna's annual Dia Grande celebration to be held here December 5 and 6. A motorcade of 50 will tour the Valley Monday to invite citizens of the sector to attend the two-day event. The motorcade will include the Donna high school band, and will be accompanied by Miss Betty Vertrees, who is Miss Bougainvillea in the celebration's featured pageant.

Practically every city in the Valley will be represented in the Bougainvillea "March of Time" production. Girls selected by local garden clubs will form the cast for the pageant, which will be staged both evenings of the celebration at the high school athletic field.

Featured Events

Other featured events of the celebration will include a tractor and machinery exhibit, a baby and doll buggy parade, flower show, United States Army display, the diaper derby, old fiddlers contest, terrapin derby, personality parade, and a carnival. Four school bands and three sound trucks will take part in the celebration.

The celebration will open Thursday noon, December 5, with the flower show. The old fiddlers contest will be held at 2 p. m., and at four the baby parade will take place. The tractor and implement display will be open throughout the day and evening.

"March Of Time"

At 8:30 p. m. first showing of the Bougainvillea March of Time will be held. At 10:30 p. m. the Bougainvillea Dance will begin at the American Legion hall, while the Latin-American Dance will be staged at the same time at the Woman's building.

On Friday, December 6, the flower show, implement display and carnival will again be open all day and evening, and the army will stage a demonstration during the morning. The terrapin derby will be held at 1:30 p. m. The personality parade will be at 7:30 p. m., following which the concluding Bougainvillea March of Time performance will be given. Dances similar to those of the preceding evening, and at the same halls, will conclude the celebration.

Army Camp

The United States Army will have one of the most interesting portions of the celebration. The members of Headquarters Troop of the 12th Cavalry Regiment from Fort Brown, commanded by Captain C. J. Hoy, will arrive in Donna on the afternoon of Thursday, December 5, and camp overnight in the city park. The troop will include the scout car reconnaisance platoon, motor transport platoon, regimental headquarters and staff platoon, and the regimental communications platoon.

Equipment is of the newest type, and men will be detailed to explain operation of the army's finest fighting tools.

Change Seen

Chamber Directors' Terms Studied

McALLEN—A proposed amendment to the constitution and by-laws of the McAllen chamber of commerce will be discussed at a special directors meeting Monday at 2 p. m.

The amendment will provide for staggering the terms of directors in such a way that four directors will be elected to three-year terms; four to two years and three for one year.

If approved the amendment will be submitted to the annual membership banquet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel December 3 for final consideration.

The directors will alos consider signing a lease with the Missouri Pacific Railroad Company on whose land the new annex has been constructed, officials said.

Mission Man Hurt In Auto Accident

EDINBURG—Harry Gernentz o. Mission sustained cuts and bruises about the head in a three-car collision Saturday at 10 a. m. a mile and a half west of here at the intersection of State Highway 107 and Martin road.

Walter Lysinger, county patrolman, said an eyewitness told him a pickup truck driven by Cirilo G. Ballesteros of Edinburg struck the rear of a sedan driven by Mrs. Gertrude R. Quist, winter visitor at McAllen, while both cars were traveling east. After striking the Quist car, Ballesteros' machine swered to the opposite side of the road and collided head-on with a small westbound truck driven by Gernentz.

STUDENT VISITS HOME

McALLEN—Fletcher Barton, A. and M. College student, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Barton

Catholic Mass To Be Shown In Film

McALLEN—Of interest to many valley residents will be the motion picture on the Roman Catholic mass to be shown at the McAllen Junior High school auditorium at 8 p.m. Sunday.

Rev. Father Emmett Walsh of McAllen, ordained a priest here last summer, will be the main character in the show in his role as celebrant of the mass. Along with the picture, sound effects will carry an explanation of the ritual. The picture was made at San Antonio. Tickets may be purchased at the door, Rev. Father Charles Buckley, pastor of the local church, said.

Noted Singer Will Appear At McAllen

McALLEN—Miss Marinela Farias, music student of New York and San Antonio, will sing in English, Spanish, French and Italian at the regular meeting of the Rotary club Wednesday.

The young lady, who is studying to be a concert singer, and who with her mother is visiting Valley friends, will be presented by Ramon Longoria, McAllen attorney.

ARRIVE FOR WINTER

SAN JUAN—Mr. and Mrs. C .M. Kinney and daughter, Mrs. Guy Ward and baby, of Oklahoma City, came here recently and have moved into the W. F. Good home. They plan to spend the winter months here

Recruits Arrive At Fort Bliss

Part of the 56th Cavalry Brigade, Texas National Guard, is shown on arrival at Fort Bliss, El Paso, to begin a year's training. Weary from long train rides, the youths stretched out to get some rest. The cavalrymen moved to Fort Bliss this week.

Rio Grande Valley Oil Fields Stage Comeback During Week With Nearly Score Of New Locations Reported

McALLEN — Development in Lower Rio Grande Valley proven fields staged a comeback during the past week, when seven new producers were turned into storage and a dozen wells were drilling. Nearly a score of new locations were staked, including 15 in the Boyle field in southern Starr, three in the Colorado field and others in scattered proven fields.

The Colorado field, one of South Texas' few producing areas which has not yet encountered salt water, added four new wells during the week and several additional tests will be drilled soon.

The new producers include two for Sun Oil Company and one each for V. F. Neuhaus and C. Andrade III.

Sun's No. 12 N. S. Thaxton, Survey 630, in the north part of the field, pumped 92 barrels daily from sand cored at 2,933-42 feet. Sun's No. 14 N. S. Thaxton, also in the north part of the field and in Survey 630, made 170 barrels daily on 3-16-inch tubing choke from sand at 2,950-62 feet with 350 pounds tubing working pressure and 610 closed-in casing pressure. Sun spudded the No. 13 Thaxton, Survey 630, this week-end.

V. F. Neuhaus' No. B-4 F. G. Trevino, Survey 38, in the south part of the field, cored the field sand at 2,980-90 feet and cemented 5 1-2-inch o.d. oil string atop the sand. The well was turned into storage Friday but production figures were not available.

C. Andrade III No. D-4 F. G. Trevino, Survey 37, in the north part of the field, was also completed but details were unavailable. The well cored sand at 2,937-46 feet and cemented oil string atop sand.

V. F. Neuhaus' No. A-4 F. G. Trevino, Survey 38, in the south part of the field, gauged 237 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke from sand at 2,976-87 feet, where the hole was bottomed. Tubing working pressure of 240 pounds and closed-in casing pressure of 550 pounds were recorded.

C. Andrade III No. D-1 F. G. Trevino, Survey 37, was also completed, but details were not available.

In the Boyle field in southern Starr Borsodi Petroleum Coompany finished a new well in the south part of the field while Sun Oil Company was testing its new south edge well for the area.

Borsodi's No. 3 Juan de Dios Vela, Share 2-A, Portion 92, Camargo Jurisdiction, cored the field sand at 3,234-48 feet and drilled to total depth of 3,750 feet. Casing (5 1-2-inch o.d.) was cemented at 3,350 feet for production test. Through casing perforations (40 shots) at 3,234-48 feet, the well flowed 10 to 15 barrels daily through open casing, formation pressure being insufficient to flow the well properly. Operators acidized the sand, but it failed to open up, and the well will be pumped. The oil is still flowing a few barrels daily through open casing.

Borsodi moved immediately to the No. 4 Vela, Share 2-A, Portion 92, Camargo Jurisdiction, which spudded Saturday, then staked 10 additional locations on its Vela leases in Portions 91 and 92, all of them west of present production.

South of the Boyle discovery, Fidelity Oil and Gas Company No. D-5 E. B. Carruth et al, Portion 92, Camargo Jurisdiction, was reported drilling past 2,000 feet. Fidelity has staked three other locations in the immediate vicinity.

On the south edge of present Booyle production, Sun Oil No. 1 Juan de Dios Vela, Share 2-A, Portion 92, Camargo Jurisdiction, had squeezed original perforations and was preparing to perforate for second production test in sand cored at 3,170-91 feet. The first test included formation at 3,188-91 feet.

Northwest of all production at Boyle, Dean and Hendrickson's No. 1 M. M. Garcia, Share 215, Portion 90, Camargo Jurisdiction, was reported drilling around 2,990 feet on a very interesting wildcat.

The Sullivan City field southwestern Hidalgo county added another producer and another new test was started.

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 2 Tomas (Villareal) Flores, Tract 236, Portion 38, Reynosa Jurisdiction, gauged 95 barrels daily on 3-32-inch tubing choke through casing perforations (48 shots) at 4,126-34 feet. Tubing working pressure of 750 pounds and closed-in casing pressure of 925 pounds were recorded.

John Messenger's No. A-2 V. G. Chapa was ready to spud on location on the northeast edge of the field in Tract 238, Portion 40, Reynosa Jurisdiction.

The Sun field in northeastern Starr had another well in the northwest part of the producing area on the sand and about ready for production test. Sun's No. A-6 E. A. and N. R. Montalvo, Tract 3, Los Retaches Grant, bottomed the hole at 4,880 feet, where 7-inch o.d. oil string was cemented. Production tests are scheduled for the regular field sands.

Two new wells were nearing the pay in the Rincon field in eastern Starr, while a new test was under way in the Yzaguirre sector of the eastern edge of Rincon. Two additional locations were staked nearby.

Continental Oil No. A-18 Slick Estate, Survey 485, in the central section of the field, was drilling in shale at 3,730 feet, while Continental's No. B-39 Slick Estate, Survey 266, in the center of the chief producing area, was drilling shale past 4,035 feet.

Complete Oil Well Service Company, which has drilled many wells in the Rincon and Colorado fields and which opened the Yzaguirre sector of Rincon several months ago, is drilling a new test and has staked otwo additional locations. Complete's No. 2 Manuel Yzaguirre, Section 227, about 8,500 feet east of all production at Rincon except for the No. 1 Yzaguirre, spudded and cemented 10 3-4-inch o.d. surface pipe around 300 feet. The No. 2 Yzaguirre is about 1,320 feet west of the No. 1 Yzaguirre. Location for the No. 3 Yzaguirre is 660 feet north of No. 2, and location for the No. 4 Yzaguirre is 660 feet north of No. 1.

In the San Salvador field in central Hidalgo county, Gulf States Oil Company No. 1 Carmen Cardenas de Cavazos, Share 155, San Salvador del Tule Grant, was shut in after cleaning itself quickly. Operators completed the well in two sands, from one of which gas and distillate will be produced. Through the other, gas stripped of its distillate by the company's new $100,000 recycling plant, will be returned to the formation. The well was completed through casing perforations (46 shots- at 7,910-20 feet and with 38 shots at 7,333-45 feet. The lower sand will produce through tubing and the upper sand through casing. Closed-in pressures are 3,200 pounds on casing and 3,400 pounds on tubing.

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McALLEN — Wildcats in northeastern Brooks county and southeastern Cameron county were the only deep holes drilling in Lower Rio Grande Valley wildcat areas Saturday and both of them were "tight" holes.

Sun Oil Company was completing a semi-wildcat in eastern Starr county, however, which promised to prove production from a second sand in the new north Rincon area to extend the area another 1,700 feet to the north.

The Sun test was its No. 2 Mateo Saenz, Survey 80, about five miles north of the Rincon field proper. Through casing perforations (20 shots) at 4,398-4,402 feet, the well was making oil on 5-16-inch tubing choke with 50 pounds tubing working pressure and 700 pounds closed-in casing pressure while on potential test. The No. 1 Saenz, about 1,700 feet to the south, was completed in a 5,600-foot sand.

For the first time in several years, there was not a single out-and-out wildcat rig running anywhere in Starr county Saturday.

In northeastern Brooks county, J. M. West Production Company and Dan Auld's No. 1 Wm. Ehlers, Section 12, Burton and Danforth Subdivision, Loma Blanca Grant, was reported coring around 8,500 feet on a deep test. Only information available thus far was a reported sand with oil show around 8,013-30 feet which recovered 45 feet of gas-cut mud in 45 minutes on drill stem test. A second test of the lower five feet of this same sand was reported to have recovered a slight show of oil. How much deeper the hole will go is not known.

In southeastern Cameron, more attention is being given Pure Oil Company No. 4 Gatewood Newberry, Share 3, Shelton Award Survey, as the result of last week's strike of Pan-American in eastern Willacy county. The Pure hole was reported drilling around 5,900 feet after cementing protection string at 5,000 feet, but no definite information is available from the well. It is headed for 10,000 feet, and Falcon-Seaboard Drilling Company, Houston, has the contract.

Carter and Rubsamen, Houston contractors who drilled the Pan-American No. 1 Porfirio Garcia, discovery well of the new Willamar field in eastern Willacy, have been unable to move a wheel for several days because of heavy rains in the vicinity. All roads were submerged and it has been impossible to move the heavy rig to the new Pan-American location, the No. 1-B Willamar community, about 1,000 feet southwest of discovery in the Teodoro Garcia tract in Share 13, San Juan de Carricitos Grant.

In eastern Starr county, W. E. Davis, Incorporated, No. 1 Harry Seyfriedt, Survey 928, about 1,600 feet east of the Complete Oil Well Service Company No. 1 Yzaguirre, easternmost production in the Rincon area, was still a "tight" well. The hole was reportedly bottomed at 6,006 feet and casing was cemented around 5,750 feet. Several deep sands were being tested, according to reports.

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Alamo Crash Filings Increasing

EDINBURG—Four more damage suits against the St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico railway for losses assertedly suffered in last March's truck-train accident at Alamo brought to $672,575 Saturday the total amount asked of the railway by families affected by the crash. Twenty-nine persons died as a result of the collision and numbers of others were injured. The new petions ask $115,950.

Atadio Gamez, 19, of Starr county, one of the persons injured in the crash, filed suit in district court here Saturday asking $10,000 in damages and $250 for payment of doctor, hospital and drug bills. Santos Rosa, 9, also represented in one of the new suits, asks $10,000 in damages and $200 in bills.

Suing for himself and two children, Gregorio Alanis asks damages totaling $45,000. His petition asks $25,000 for the death of Delfina Alanis, his 12-year-old daughter, killed in the crash; $5,000 for injury to his son, Pedro, 14; and $15,000 for injury to his son Jesus, 9.

Largest of the new suits is one asking damages totaling $50,500, filed by Mrs. Natividad F. Ramon and her nine children.

Mrs. Ramon is the widow of Jose Ramon, one of those killed in the collision and the owner of the truck in which about 40 persons were riding when it was struck by a passenger train at an Alamo crossing. For the death of her husband, Mrs. Ramon seeks damages of $10,000, for loss of the truck $500 and for the childfren's loss of their father $40,000.

As in the case of numerous other damage suits filed as a result of the crash, the new petitions list Guy A. Thompson, trustee for the Missouri Pacific system, as defendant in the case. The St. Louis Brownsville and Mexico line is a subsidiary of the Missouri Pacific.

The first of the suits called for trial a few weeks ago were continued to later dates.

Patterson Fetes McAllen Friends

McALLEN—S. M. Patterson, former Edinburg chamber of commerce manager who is leaving today for his new post at Littlefield, Tex., entertained a few of his McAllen friends with a dinner at the Casa de Palmas Hotel Friday night.

Brief speeches by all present marked the entertainment for Patterson's farewell.

Present were Fidencio Guerra, C. H. Britton, Paul T. Vickers, Van E. Cook, W. H. Moon, Dr. G. Van Amber Brown, Si Casady, W. W. Dees and E. A. Polzin.

GOING TO HOUSTON

PHARR—Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Slocum left Wednesday for Eagle Lake where they will spend the Thanksgiving holidays with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lindsey and baby son, Robert Fenton.

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McALLEN—Ninety-one members of the United States Border Patrol comprise the personnel of the service now guarding this section of the border.

While total strength of this division is 105 men, additional recruits will not be available until another eligible list is tendered by the civil service commission.

Within the past month death and the United States Army have taken three border patrolmen from this district. The death Friday of John H. Cottingham removed one of the service's most experienced men. Michael P. Ryan and Hershel R. Adams, both officers in the army reserve, were called to duty during the month.

Thirty-one newcomers are stationed at the 13 posts in this district where their training is being completed under the direction of the service's older men.

The 25 men who are stationed at the McAllen headquarters include Fletcher L. Rawls, chief, John R. Peavy, L. T. McCollister, James P. Cottingham, Ernest A. Kilborn, Ned D. Henderson, Andrew P. Wright, Leslie H. Buchanan, Howell Norwood, Madison W. Kuykendall, John E. Hensley, Ray Fred, William A. Stephenson, F. Leon Mullen, Robert D. Daffin, Herbert M. Johnson, William O. Britt, with new recruits, Richard I. Newcomb and Jerome F. Reilley; radio operator, Lorn L. Howard; clerk, Ladik A. Morkovsky; mechanics, John W. Griffin and Ralph H. Hall; and laborers, Leslie Chaney and Antonio Garcia.

Various district posts and the patrolmen stationed at each include: Brownsville, Charlie Wallis, Delbert A. Valentine, Samuel W. McKone, Charlie Agee, Manuel A. Saldana, James A. Lowe, with recent appointees, James W. Nielson, Rea P. McKinney, Walter E. Bell, Jr., and James A. York.

Harlingen: William A. Holt and Samuel Ruskin with new patrolmen, Edward J. Pierson, Daniel R. Colley and Ray H. Barnes. Mercedes: Clifton D. Brown, Arthur C. Swaim and Francis Quebodeaux and Omer L. Hix, with new patrolman, Gerald E. Mecham.

Weslaco: Charles E. Wroten and Oscar D. Kelley, with new patrolmen, Ellis M. Anderson, Frederick J. Wiedersheim, Jr., and Stewart C. Strait. Mission: Thomas E. Phillips, Faler L. Armitage, Marshall N. Ney, and William T. Toney, Jr., with new patrolmen, William O. Dunham, Leonard J. Martin and Robert W. Anderson.

La Grulla: I. E. Snavely and John N. McCoy with new patrolmen, Hugh S. Rice, Waldo A. Roberts and George A. Beaven, Jr. Rio Grande City: Jesse Perez, Jr., and Wayne R. Brady with new patrolmen, Paul L. Westbrook, Jeff T. Wilkes and John A. Zivnuska.

Roma: Oscar A. Whittlesey and Rufus E. O'Farrell, Jr., with Gerard W. Hollander, new patrolman. Edinburg: Albin Ulrickson and Harry F. Helmke, with new patrolmen, David C. Flippe and Douglas R. O'Connell.

Raymondville: Oscar M. Stetson with new patrolmen Roy P. Robbins and James A. Bussey. Falfurrias: Kenneth S. Lenington, Joseph Sureck, Bernard F. Mecke, Charles L. Austin, Early U. Nelson, John L. Nolan, Edward S. Callihan, with new patrolmen Daniel E. Kornegay, David Snow and Leon F. Bugh. Kingsville: William A. Fleming, Edmund H. Levy, Jesse W. Jones, Virgil R. Clark and Carl F. Frazier.

MOVE TO LOUISIANA

MISSION — Mr. and Mrs. James J. Nachlinger, formerly of Mission, are moving this week-end from Auburn, Nebr., to Houma, La. Mrs. Nachlinger is the former Miss Juanita Krueger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Krueger of Mission.

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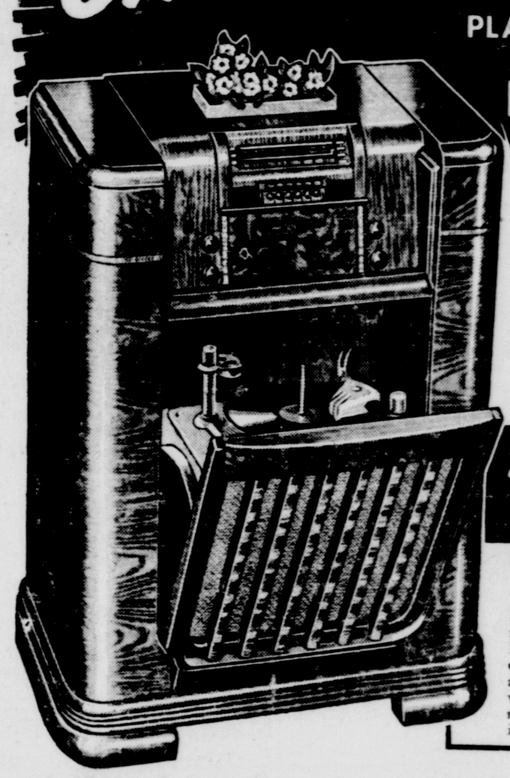

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Owls Rally To Defeat Baylor Bears 21-12

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SPORTS

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DUG OUTA THE SPORTS BAG!

By E. C. Doc OSBORN

What Happened?

We were asked many times yesterday this question, "What happened to Harlingen at Corpus Christi Friday night?"

Perhaps the best answer would be one similar to that used by Dick Freeman, Houston sports editor, when he told a fan about a Rice loss—Corpus Christi happened to Harlingen.

We watched the Cardinals take that 33-6 whipping at the hands of the Buccaneers and it was a clean one from start to finish. From the time a Buc back picked up a fumble and put the ball in scoring position three minutes after the game got under way right to the final whistle, the outcome was never in doubt.

It is our opinion that the Buccaneers are at least a two-touchdown better team than the Cardinals, perhaps three at their best. We do not believe that the Cardinals played the brand of football they are capable of but if they had clicked at their best, it no doubt would have been just a case of a closer score. Had the game been played in Harlingen, the Cardinals would possibly have held the score down but we believe they still would have lost, perhaps not by such a score.

We do not believe there can be even the slightest possibility of any fan who saw the game, coming up with an alibi for the Red Birds. If so, they must be classed as "die-hards." No doubt many will use the word "if" when discussing the game but that is just a waste of time for the score was 33 to 6 in favor of Corpus Christi and that is all that can be made of it.

We frankly admit that the Buccaneers were a much better team last Friday night than we thought they were. We had not seen them play this season and were basing our opinion of their ability on the class of teams they had defeated during the season—except Robstown—and we simply were mistaken in believing that the Cardinals had a chance.

True the Cardinals made many mistakes in the game Friday night but most of them were caused by the Buccaneers. The Buc line simply could not be budged an inch by the Cardinal forward wall. If it ever was, it happened when we had our head turned. The blocking of the Buccaneers was machine-like and the ball-carriers were put out in the clear time and time again. And nearly all of the Corpus Christi backs appeared to have plenty of drive left after being tackled. At least after the style of tackling the Cardinals were using.

Coach Harry Stietler came up with a tricky offense. We never saw it before and many times we had trouble following the ball. We were sitting in the press box with nothing else to do but follow the pigskin and we can imagine that it was all pretty confusing to the Harlingen players. In the game Friday night we saw nothing unusual about the Bucs' passing game but they really did not need it. A little shovel pass they used was a honey.

We believe the Cardinals can hold their heads high for they were defeated by a superior team. They need not be ashamed of themselves regardless of how disappointed they might be in not making a better showing against the Bucs.

Frank Witherspoon, Harlingen's offensive star, played a whale of a game and he drew a big round of applause from the Corpus Christi fans when he was taken out of the game with just a few seconds left. They paid tribute to a fine high school back who on last Friday night carried the heavy burden of being forced to play most of the game with little help from his blockers. Jimmy Grant came through in fine style. Jack McMahan, center, played far and away the best game of the season as did Ned Davis and Mike Jurosek. Charley Amidon, when he was in, gave a good account of himself. Ray Baker's punting was good.

We congratulate Harry Stietler and his Buccaneers for winning the championship of District 16-AA and we hope he goes right on and wins in the state finals. The Bucs are representing South Texas and are OUR team from now on.

Of all the cracks made regarding the play of the Cardinals against the Bucs, we believe Tommy Montgomery of Harlingen, takes the palm when he said "It looked to me like the Cardinals just lost their equilibrium."

School Elevens In First Round

By The Associated Press

All bi-district games in the Texas schoolboy football race had been arranged Saturday night.

The last was Corpus Christi and Brackenridge (San Antonio), who will play at San Antonio Friday night.

The other pairings:

Friday—El Paso High at Big Spring, Greenville at Paris, Stephenville at Temple, Lufkin at Longview.

Saturday—Wichita Falls at Amarillo, Masonic Home (Fort Worth) vs Sunset at Dallas, Jeff Davis (Houston) at Port Arthur.

These teams are the sixteen district winners who contest for the Class AA state championship.

Bob Brumley Scores Each Rice Point

Bruins Take Lead In 2nd Period

By WILLIAM T. RIVES

HOUSTON—(AP)—Troubleshooter Bob Brumley, Rice's magnificent fullback, blasted in 10 minutes Saturday the hopes Baylor held for tossing the Owls out of the Southwest Conference championship scramble.

Tired of watching Baylor push Rice all over the field, Brumley took charge of the offense in the third period and in stunning time, the Owls had overhauled Baylor and run up a 21-12 lead they never relinquished.

The victory meant that the Rice-Southern Methodist battle here next Saturday will decide which of those two teams will share a tie with Texas A. and M. for the league pennant—barring a deadlock in the game itself.

Brumley scored every one of Rice's points. He broke great holes in the Baylor line and his accurate toe split the crossbar on every try.

His grand performance gave him the conference scoring lead over John Kimbrough of Texas A. and M. and kept Rice in the Cotton Bowl talk.

Brumley's scores were made at the end of 32, 58 and 55-yard drives, all but six yards of which came in the big third period.

Late in the fourth period Baylor tried to come back, getting to Rice's 7 on a dazzling aerial offense before the Owls stiffened.

Baylor started off as if to slaughter Rice, passing and running down the field almost at will. A 76-yard drive brought the first touchdown in the second quarter. Jimmy Witt blasting over from the one-yard line for the score.

Weldon Bigony and Jack Wilson in the same period, started another touchdown spree from the Baylor 35. Finally Witt breezed 33 yards on a reverse for the touchdown.

Baylor had a slight edge in statistics gaining 14 first downs to Rice's 9—Rice made 8 in the third period, picking up 123 yards rushing to Rice 106, and completing 7 of 21 passes for 88 yards, compared with Rice's 5 in 13 tries for 77 yards.

Starting lineup:

Rice	Pos.	Baylor
Tresch	LE	Russell
Hartman	LT	Anderson
Goforth	LG	Haley
Whitlow	C	Nelson
Bassett	RG	Mickler
Kunetka	RT	Griffin
Prichard	RE	Lummus
Brown	QB	Merka
Price	LH	Wilson
Weems	RH	Witt
Zander	FB	Bigony

Score by periods:

Rice	0	0	14	7	—21
Baylor	0	12	0	0	—12

Rice scoring: Touchdowns, Brumley (3); ponts from try after touchdown, Brumley 3 (from placement).

Baylor scoring: Touchdowns, Witt 2.

Miss. Staters Trip Alabama

TUSCALOOSA, Ala.—(AP)—Harvey Johnson led Mississippi State to a well deserved 13 to 0 triumph over Alabama Saturday to give his team its first unbeaten season in modern football history.

Authoritative sources said the victors would be offered an invitation to Miami's Orange Bowl game New Year's Day sometime Saturday night. Mississippi State spokesmen said there was little chance of a decision on any bowl bid before Monday.

Johnson made the first touchdown on a 7-yard slash through the line which followed a 47-yard sprint around end. It came midway of the opening period.

Charley Yancey made the other on a fourth period 23-yard dash through middle, but it was an anti-climax after the way the Mississippi State line, featuring great play by Buddy Elrod, John Tripson, and Hunter Corhern, smeared Alabama scoring chances.

Stock Car Races Scheduled Today

HARLINGEN—A full program of stock car races will be held at the Fair Park track here unday afternoon with the first race carded to get under way at 2 o'clock.

Eight events are listed on the card and drivers from San Antonio, Corpus Christi, San Benito and Harlingen are expected to compete.

All drivers belong to the Rio Grande Valley Racing Association which insures some keen competition and racing fans are certain to witness some thrilling moments.

A racing program will be held each Sunday until further notice.

Steer-A. and M. Films At Arcadia, Capitol

HARLINGEN—The grid game which "Tradition" won, the 7-0 victory Texas University gained Thanksgiving Day over the mighty Texas Aggies, will be seen by many Valleyites this Sunday and Monday.

Films of the game are showing this Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen, and at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville.

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Lyford's Bulldogs, District 36-B Titlists

Pictured above are members of the Lyford Bulldog squad, who Friday night at Raymondville defeated the Falfurrias Jerseys 39 to 12, to add the District 36-B championship to their south zone title. The Bulldogs this year have run up over 200 points against their nine opponents, including three Class A teams, and have won six games to date while losing only three. Shown left to right on the bottom row are Emil Lagerstam, Jones Haning, Ed Nichols, Herman Freeman and Dario Cantu. Center row, left to right, are Hulen Jones, Jake Simpson, Billy Ross, Billy Wilson and Laurence Cantu. Top row, left to right, are W. J. Busse, Bobby Terry, J. B. Ply, Jack Quick, Bobby Evans and Team Manager Wilson Batchelor. Shown at left is Coach Johnny McNabb, and at right, Assistant Coach Bill Corder. James Archer, team center, is not in the picture. (Staff Photo.)

Nebraska Trims Kansas Aggies With Reverses

Likely To Receive Bowl Bid

By RANDALL BLAKE

LINCOLN, Neb.—(AP)—Nebraska's Cornhuskers literally "reversed" themselves into the Big Six football championship and a probable New Year's Day Bowl bid as they walloped Kansas State 20 to 0 Saturday before an estimated 20,000 whooping fans.

The Huskers shot reverse after reverse, both from a single and double wing formation, as they befuddled the Aggies.

The scoring started with eight seconds left in the first half when Herman Rohrig drifted back as if to pass and the Aggies, who had been knocking down tosses consistently, spread with the receivers.

Stocky little Rohrig didn't see an open receiver, so he cut for the sidelines, outrunning three tacklers and picking up a field of blockers. The touchdown run of 14 yards was simple, the little fellow not being touched as the Aggies, caught when Rohrig reversed his field, tried desperately to get at him.

In the third period the Aggies found themselves caught off balance time after time as Walter Luther zipped around the ends and inside tackle on reverse after reverse, two for touchdowns. His first touchdown gallop was on a 32 yard single wing reverse and the second was on a 35 yard sprint on a delayed reverse from the same formation. Mike Francis kicked the extra point after the first touchdown and missed after the second. Rohrig made it good after the third touchdown.

All in all Luther carried the ball on 19 reverses for 161 yards. His average gain per play was 8.47 yards and he was dumped for a loss just once.

The one-sideness of the game is best shown by the 23 first downs Nebraska made and the 431 yards net the Huskers got from scrimmage compared to the three first downs and 11 yards net the Aggies had.

Marquette Upset By Arizona's Wildcats

TUCSON, Ariz.—(AP)—The University of Arizona Wildcats turned in their best performance of the season to edge out Marquette's Golden Avalanche, 17 to 14, in a thrill-packed int rsectional football battle here Saturday.

Jack Irish, substitute Arizona tackle, saved the game for the Wildcats with a perfect 33-yard placekick for a field goal in the third period. The boot broke a 7-7 deadlock.

Navy Uses Many Backs To Win Over Army 14-0

By BILL BONI

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—The Navy football team turned a better-than-fair season into something extra special Saturday afternoon by beating the Army, 14-0, before a crowd that filled not quite all of the 102,000 seats in Municipal Stadium.

It was, finally, a victory over Army, and that is enough in itself. Now the Middies can forget about those defeats by Penn and Notre Dame and that scoreless tie with Columbia.

Navy's linesmen were too sturdy and its backs too many. Though the Middies lost sophomore star Bill Busik of Pasadena, Calif., on a first half injury and also saw Wes Gebert of Everett, Wash., go limping to the sidelines, they had others by the hatful.

Busik ran Army's first punt from his 35 to the Cadet 42 and Navy was on its way. Sherwood Werner plunged for two and Busik, in three tries, made a first down by inches. Then Navy scored on seven plays, Busik contributing 12 on a running pass to Malcolm, and plunging for the final inches.

Navy made two more threats that period, and turned back three by Army in the second quarter. Early in the third the Middies marched from their 40 to the Cadet 19. Bob Leonard, Gainesville, Tex., who place-kicked a field goal and extra point last year and had booted the extra point on to Busik's tally, came in to try a placement from the 28. It was wide, and Army got the ball. But Navy went 53 yards in six plays and a 5-yard penalty on the Cadets the next time they got possession.

Howie Clark carried on three of the five running plays, contributing the day's longest rushing gain by cracking the Army right side and breaking into the clear for 28 yards and climaxed the march by throwing a 9-yard touchdown pass on the run to Malcolm.

Vito Vitucci kicked the extra point from placement.

Oklahoma Loses To Santa Clara

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—Santa Clara's Broncos found a scoring punch through the air lanes Saturday and whipped a fighting University of Oklahoma team 33 to 13.

Orv Mathews, brilliant Oklahoma halfback, did all of Oklahoma's scoring in the first period.

Before the 20,000 customers had settled in their seats, he ran the opening kick-off back 88 yards to a touchdown, and a short time later grabbed a pass and ran half way down the field to the goal.

But when Coach L. T. "Buck" Shaw put the first string Broncos in, things began to happen.

Santa Clara, defeated only once this season (7-6 by unbeaten Stanford), tied the game with 13 points in the second quarter, added six in the third and 14 more in the final period.

Santa Clara, which rolled up 229 yards by forward passing, overcame the 13-point first period deficit in impressive fashion.

Methodists To Meet College Of Pacific

DALLAS—(AP)—Jimmy Stewart, athletic director for Southern Methodist University, said Saturday night the Methodists would meet the College of Pacific in a football game at the Tyler, Tex., Rose Festival next October 11.

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Stanford Given Post As West's Rose Bowl Team

Vote Is Taken After Saturday Victory

CORVALLIS, Ore.—(AP)—Stanford University, undefeated and untied champion of the Pacific Coast Conference, has been officially selected as the conference's Rose Bowl football representative, Professor C. V. Ruzek, conference president, announced Saturday.

The Oregon State College professor said the exact vote, which came a few hours after Stanford's 13 to 7 victory over its final conference hurdle, California, could not be made public. It was believed to be unanimous, however.

Georgia Nips Tech

ATHENS, Ga.—(AP)—Georgia's Bulldogs shaded Georgia Tech's Yellow Jackets in their traditional dogfight, 21 to 19, Saturday before a homecoming crowd of 30,000.

It was Georgia's first triumph over Georgia Tech since 1936.

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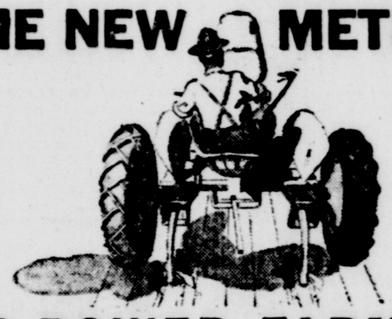

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S.M.U. Mustangs Wallop Horned Frogs 16 To 0

By FELIX R. McKNIGHT

DALLAS, Tex.—(AP)—Once-beaten Southern Methodist stoked its furnace after a listless start and battered down Texas Christian, 16-0, before 15,000 here Saturday.

Never in danger, but unable to get its own offense adjusted for two periods, the Methodists finally ground out a triumph that kept alive hopes for a Southwest Conference tie with the Texas Aggies and a possible appearance in the Cotton Bowl.

Spotted with injuries, its great Kyle Gillespie unable to start a continuing aerial attack, Texas Christian moved to the Methodist 27 on its deepest charge.

Southern Methodist toyed with early touchdowns, but finally had to be content with a half-time lead of 3-0 manufactured on sophomore Wayne (Bo) Campbell's field goal, booted from the 16 yard line into a churning wind.

No longer than the first play of the third period did they wait to make victory secure.

Connie Sparks, TCU end, bobbled the kickoff and guard Eddie Bianchi recovered on the Christian 28.

Fullback Preston Johnston, a running ripper, tossed in runs of seven and 17 yards to the four and Johnny Clement plunged the touchdown. Johnston kicked the point.

Then, late in the fourth period, the surging Methodist line accounted for the second touchdown. Tackle Lynn Bostick blew in on Gillespie's attempted pass, batted it into the air and Bob Maddox recovered on the Christian 32.

Red-haired Clint McClain, a powerful tackle thruster who had been knifing the Christian wall all day, teamed with Cliff Hagerman to go to the eight and then took up the touchdown chore himself, circling left end. Johnston's conversion attempt was wide.

Starting lineups:

T.C.U.	Pos.	S.M.U.
C. Sparks	LE	Simpson
Hampton	LT	Harris
Harter	LG	Ramsey
Alexander	C	Pope
Sherrod	RG	Bianchi
Adams	RT	Pasqua
Roach	RE	Tunnell
Gillespie	QB	Mullenweg
N. Sparks	LH	Clement
Ware	RH	Young
Kring	FB	Johnston

Score by periods:

Texas Christian	0	0	0	0	—0
Southern Methodist	0	3	7	6	—16

Southern Methodist scoring: touchdowns, Clement, McClain (sub for Johnston); point from try after touchdown, Johnston (placement); goal from the field, Campbell (sub for Johnston) (placement).

Valley Grid Statistics

FULL SEASON STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	Pts.	Opp.	Pct.
Harlingen	9	1	0	196	32	.900
McAllen	7	2	0	201	44	.777
Mission	7	3	0	229	75	.700
Lyford	6	3	0	267	92	.667
Edinburg	5	3	0	110	44	.625
Brownsville	5	3	0	97	64	.625
Mercedes	6	4	0	100	109	.600
Rio Hondo	4	3	1	93	91	.562
Donna	4	6	0	92	165	.400
Raymondville	4	6	0	110	116	.400
Weslaco	3	7	0	65	150	.300
Edcouch-Elsa	2	7	1	56	225	.250
P-SJ-A	2	8	0	52	143	.200
San Benito	0	7	1	24	211	.062

FINAL DISTRICT 19-A STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pts.	Opp.	Pct.
Mission	6	0	189	17	1.000
Mercedes	5	1	64	45	.833
Donna	4	2	71	54	.667
Weslaco	2	4	27	77	.333
Raymondville	2	4	25	76	.333
P-SJ-A	1	5	32	60	.167
La Feria	1	5	12	90	.167

RESULTS LAST WEEK

Harlingen 6 at Corpus Christi 33 (16-AA title game)
Lyford 39 vs Falfurrias 12 at Raymondville (36-B title)
Weslaco 7 at Raymondville 6 (A)
Donna 6 at Mercedes 13 (A)
Mission 7 at Pharr-San Juan-Alamo 0 (A)

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Alice at Mission (bi-district Class A) DNP
Lyford vs Ingleside (bi-district Class B) DNP

LEADING SCORERS

Player	TD	EP	FG	TP
Wilson (Lyford)	13	1	0	79
Witherspoon (Harlingen)	13	0	0	78
Dalton (Mercedes)	12	4	0	76
Ward (Mission)	10	10	1	73
Roberts (McAllen)	11	0	0	66
Moore (Mission)	11	0	0	66
Ross (Lyford)	9	7	0	61
Bevermann (McAllen)	7	5	0	47
Landry (Mission)	7	4	0	46
Wade (Edcouch-Elsa)	7	1	0	43
Livingston (Harlingen)	4	13	0	37
Brotzman (Rio Hondo)	6	1	0	37
Callaway (Raymondville)	6	0	0	36
Ply (Rio Hondo)	5	3	0	33
Rose (Harlingen)	5	1	0	31
Avila (Donna)	5	0	0	30
Stevens (Weslaco)	5	0	0	30

Shot Put Is First In Maryland Race

BOWIE, Md.—(AP)—A crowd of 15,000 saw Mrs. Marie Evans' Shot Put, marathon champion of the year, score an easy victory in the Bryan and O'Hara Memorial Handicap Saturday as the major eastern racing season closed for the winter.

The hero of the New York and Exterminator handicaps took the $7,875 winner's share and a trophy by three full lengths, running the mile and three-sixteenths over a dull track in 2:00 2-5 to pay $12.80 in the mutels.

Underdog Oregon Is Winner Over Staters

CORVALLIS, Ore.—(AP)—An underdog University of Oregon football team unleashed a smashing ground assault here Saturday to grind its traditional foe, Oregon State, into submission 20 to 0.

Oregon had been defeated four straight years by Oregon State.

Boston College vs. Tennessee In Sugar Bowl

New Orleans Group Grabs Choice Clubs

Stanford Has Rose Bowl And No Foe

By MORTIMER KREEGER

NEW ORLEANS —(AP)— Before even one of the Rose Bowl participants was officially decided, Sugar Bowl authorities announced Saturday they had landed the only available unbeaten, untied football teams in the country—Boston College and Tennessee—for their New Year's Day game.

Little Surprise

The announcement caused little surprise. Ever since Boston College romped over Tulane 27-7 here last September, before the eyes of most of the men who choose the Sugar Bowl teams, it had been conceded the Eagles were welcome to fly back here January 1 if they should go through their season undefeated.

This they did, although they gained only a narrow 7-0 victory over a supposedl much inferior Holy Cross team Saturday.

Tennessee had been considered the most probable opponent, although since Texas U. upset the Rose-Bowl bound Texas Aggies last Thursday many believed the Volunteers would now go to the Rose Bowl and Nebraska would be the Sugar Bowl choice.

Stanford Tops Calif.

The teams were announced at 5 p.m., in the offices of the New Orleans Mid-Winter Sports Association while Stanford successfully was battling California for undisputed possession of the Pacific Coast Conference title, which carries automatic entrance to the Rose Bowl and the right to invite an opponent.

Word of Tennessee's 20-0 victory over Vanderbilt had been received only a half hour before.

Sugar Bowl Sold Out

The Sugar Bowl's 73,000 seats have been sold out for several days, except for a few "combination tickets" to all sports events on the mid-winter calendar and several thousand reserved for disposal by the participating teams.

Tennessee thus becomes the first team ever to go to three bowls, which it does on successive years. In 1939 it beat Oklahoma in the Orange Bowl and this year lost to Southern California in the Rose Bowl.

Boston College lost to Clemson in the Dallas Cotton Bowl 3-6 last January 1.

Baseball Minors In Annual Meet

NEW YORK — (AP) — Baseball's elete will start gathering in Atlanta this week-end for the annual minor league meetings and if what the boys have been saying is true, a lot of things ought to start happening right away. . . . There won't be any legislative fireworks this year to match the 1939 sessions at Cincinnati, when they tried to scalp foxy old Judge Landis, but more trading is in prospect. . . . All the major league clubs will be represented and most of the managers will be there except Joe McCarthy. . . He and Prexy Ed Barrow are saving their bunions for the major league powwowing at Chicago the following week.

The Brooklyn Dodgers have been brewing a deal with the St. Louis Cardinals that will involve catchers Mickey Owen, Gus Mancuso, Cash and other players. . . . Larry MacPhail already has left New York, intending to be first on the scene. . . . Washington wants to get hold of a couple of infielders and Clark Griffith probably will grab somebody. . . . He also wants an outfielder and might take Ben Chapman off Roger Peckinpaugh's hands at Cleveland. . . . The Chicago Cubs also are almost certain to do some swapping. The Red Sox would like to get catcher Frank Hayes of the A's. . . . Some of the other clubs have been waiting patiently for the finish of football to announce some matters of moment.

While the majors doubtless will grab most of the publicity, it is the minors' meeting and they have a lot of affairs to attend, especially naming of managers. . . . George Weiss is expected to decide on the Kansas City pilot while there. . . . Three International League jobs are open and Gabby Hartnett, late of the cubs, is seeking employment.

Hardin-Simmons Gets 13th Win

BROWNWOOD— (AP) —Led by a pass-flipping scat back, 150-pound L. B. Russell, the Hardin-Simmons University Cowboys slashed a 27-7 victory here Saturday over the Yellow Jackets of Howard Payne—a 13th straight win for the Bowl-minded Cowboys.

Russell passed to End H. C. Burrus for two of the scores, flipped a third to End D. A. Parker, and plunged through for the fourth. He also held the ball while Murray Evans kicked three extra points.

The Yellow Jackets kept the whitewash sign away by a spectacular 53-yard pass from Tommy Samuels to Roland Warren, good for a touchdown in the third quarter.

For the first time in a 30-game series with Howard Payne, the Cowboys made it three wins in a row. Saturday's victory squares the series at 13 wins for each team and four ties. It was the ninth victory this season for Hardin-Simmons.

Santa Clara 33, Oklahoma 13
Southern Calif 28, Univ Calif at Los Angeles 13

WAKE FOREST'S CRACK GRIDDER . . . . . by Phil Berube

Major Portion Of Saturday Games Follow Form Closely

By HUGH S. FULLERTON, JR.

NEW YORK—(AP)—For one of the few times this season, major football games went strictly according to form Saturday—even to the classic Army-Navy game, considered about the toughest of them all to predict.

Navy, which had looked like the better of the two all season, won 14-0 before 102,000 fans at Philadelphia, mainly on the strength of its fine line and the running of Bill Busk and Howie Clark.

Boston College, Tennessee and Stanford all came through to complete their regular seasons unbeaten and untied and to turn toward New Year's Day "Bowl" games. Mississippi State, tied once but undefeated, hit the same trail along with Nebraska and Fordham, once beaten but so highly regarded that it immediately received and accepted an invitation to play an unnamed opponent in the Dallas Cotton Bowl.

The Dallas group and the New Orleans Sugar Bowl were first under the wire with their invitations, announcing them while Stanford was only halfway through the task of beating California 13-7 to clinch beyond argument its right to play in the Rose Bowl on New Year's Day. Tennessee and Boston College snapped up the Sugar Bowl bids as soon as they were offered. Mississippi State, 13-0 conqueror of Alabama, and Nebraska, which whipped Kansas State 20-0 to clinch the Big Six title, are considered the most likely candidates for the Orange Bowl game at Miami.

Meeting just the kind of strenuous opposition they expected from traditional rivals, and with bad weather to make it even harder for some of them, Tennessee whipped Vanderbilt 20-0 through the great running of Johnny Butler and Buist Warren over a rain-drenched gridiron. Boston College's Eagles got just the "breaks" they needed to conquer Holy Cross 7-0, scoring in the final period after recovering a fumble on the five-yard line.

Stanford again thrilled 80,000 spectators by staging two well-executed scoring drives in the first half and then by holding California for four downs on the one-yard line before finally yielding a touchdown late in the final quarter.

Fordham, upset in midseason by St. Mary's of California, clinched its Cotton Bowl invitation by whipping New York University with a fine exhibition of power. The Rams' opponent probably will be chosen Monday by Southwest Conference faculty members. In the running are the once-defeated Texas Aggies, who may yet be chosen for the Rose Bowl, and Rice and Southern Methodist, whose victories Saturday preserved their chances to tie the Aggies for the conference crown. S.M.U. defeated Texas Christian 16-0 and Rice turned back Baylor 21-12. They meet next week.

The nearest things to major upsets on the program were New Mexico's 19-14 victory over Texas Tech, which dropped the losers from the unbeaten class and Auburn's 20-7 conquest of Florida in a game marked by 16 fumbles. Florida had been a slight favorite on the basis of a couple of recent upset victories.

Georgia outscored Georgia Tech, 21-19, Duke outfought Pittsburgh 12-7, Louisiana State beat Tulane 14-0 and Maryland and Washington and Lee played a 7-7 tie in other southern scraps. Duquesne remained among the eastern leaders with a 14-7 conquest of Carnegie Tech while down in the Southwest Hardin-Simmons remained unbeaten and untied with a 27-7 victory over Little Howard Payne.

Washington, coming from behind with 27 points in the last quarter, beat Washington State 33-9 to take second place in the Pacific Coast Conference. Oregon whipped Oregon State 20-0 and Southern California hung another beating on U.C.L.A., 28-12. Santa Clara's Bronchos, leaders of the coast "Independent" group, whipped Oklahoma 33-13.

Grid Results

East

Boston College 7, Holy Cross 0
Duquesne 14, Carnegie Tech 7
Fordham 26, New York U. 0
Navy 14, Army 0

South

Mississippi State 13, Alabama 0
Auburn 20, Florida 7
Georgia 21, Georgia Tech 19
Louisiana State 14, Tulane 0
Tennessee 20, Vanderbilt 0
Duke 12, Pittsburgh 7
Miles Memorial 26, Rust 12
Davidson 20, The Citadel 6
Washington and Lee 7, Maryland 7

Midwest

Nebraska 20, Kansas State 0
Springfield (Mo) Tchers 51, Hastings (Neb) Tchrs 6
St. Loius 3, Washington (Mo) 0

Southwest

Southern Methodist 16, Texas Christian 0
Rice 21, Baylor 12
New Mexico 19, Texas Tech 14
Hardin - Simmons 27, Howard Payne 7
Texas Mines 40, New Mexico Aggies 26

Rocky Mountain

Occidental 25, Colorado College 6

Far West

Stanford 13, California 7
Washington 33, Washington State 9
Oregon 20, Oregon State 0
Arizona 17, Marquette 14

Vols Defeat Vandy To Win League Title

Victory Brings Bid To Sugar Bowl

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — (AP) — The pitfalls of tradition, mud and rain proved no barrier Saturday for Tennessee's mighty Volunteers who crashed through Vanderbilt, 20 to 0, to complete their third successive perfect season and shut the lid on an invitation for a post-season game in the New Orleans Sugar Bowl.

Some 21,000 rain-drenched spectators saw the Vols crush their most ancient foe and win undisputed championship of the Southeastern Conference.

The two teams sparred for an opening that never came in the first period, but midway in the second, little Johnny Butler, the Vols' great scat back, led a 50-yard touchdown-producing march.

Butler scampered 18 yards but had 15 of them nullified by a holding penalty. Undaunted, he raced down the sidelines 33 yards to the Vanderbilt 14 and Bob Foxx swept over on a seven-yard reverse. Fred Newman added the point.

The game was a fitting climax for the 13 Tennessee seniors who have walked off the field only once in 32 games a beaten team; and that was last New Year's Day when they were trampled by Southern California in the Rose Bowl, 14 to 0.

Mississippi State Takes Orange Bowl?

MIAMI, Fla.—(AP)—Orange Bowl Schedule Chairman Will M. Preston told the Miami Herald Saturday night by telephone from Tuscaloosa, Ala., that Mississippi State had accepted an invitation to play in the New Year's Day football game here.

ARIZONA POLOISTS WIN

TUCSON, Ariz.—(AP)—University of Arizona poloists rode roughshod over the Seventh Cavalry of Fort Bliss, Texas, 11 to 2, here Saturday in the opener of a two-game series.

Fordham-Aggie Clash Said Probable Cotton Bowl Menu

DALLAS —(AP)— Powerful Fordham University, beaten once in a shocking upset earlier in the season, Saturday night accepted an invitation to play a New Year's Day game in the Cotton Bowl against the Southwest Conference representative.

President Dan D. Rogers of the Cotton Bowl Athletic Association announced shortly after Fordham's 26-0 rout of New York University that the Rams had agreed to the game.

The Southwest team will be selected by a telegraphic vote of the faculty members of the Southwest Conference next Monday, Rogers said, with only Texas A. and M., Rice Institute and Southern Methodist eligible.

It was believed fairly certain that the Aggies, mighty rulers of the Southwest for two seasons and victims of a terrific upset from Texas University, 7-0, only two days ago, would be the Fordham opposition.

However, both Southern Methodist and Rice are still in the conference running and will meet Saturday at Houston.

As it now stands, the Texas Aggies are assured of at least a tie for the conference crown and the winner of the SMU-Rice game can share the title with them. A Rice-SMU standoff would give the Aggies undisputed possession of the title—the first time in history that a conference team would have won the flag two years running.

Fordham has won seven and lost one this season, St. Mary's Galloping Gaels, traditional rival from the Pacific Coast, coming east to give them a 9-6 defeat on a field goal in the closing minutes of play.

The Rams knocked off Purdue, 13-7; North Carolina, 14-0; Arkansas, 27-7; Tulane, 20-7; Pittsburgh, 24-12; West Virginia, 20-7; and New York University, 26-0.

Nineteen straight victories, including a Sugar Bowl victory over Tulane, were behind the Aggies when they fell before their 46-year-old traditional rival, Texas, in the greatest upset of the nation this week.

The Aggies had defeated UCLA, 7-0; Southern Methodist, 19-7; Rice, 25-0; Baylor, 14-7; Texas Christian, 21-7; Arkansas, 17-0; Tulsa, 41-6, and Texas A. and I., 26-0.

The Nazis' Gestapo is merely a word coined from the first syllables of its three-word official title—the Geheime Staats Politize.

New Mexico Tops Tech Red Raiders

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M.—(AP)—A ball-hawking New Mexico University football team toppled Texas Tech's Red Raiders from undefeated ranking here Saturday, grabbing at every break for a 19 to 14 victory.

Out-maneuvering their highly-rated foes at every turn, the alert Lobos struck like lightning for a pair of touchdowns in the opening period and jammed through another in the third; then halted an all-out Raider offensive which netted a threatening 14 tallies in the final quarter.

The late-maturing New Mexico team, winning for their first time in six years of competition against the Raiders, ended an otherwise mediocre season in a flash of brilliance. Saturday's victory, coupled with last Saturday's upset of Arizona ,put the skids under two strong bowl possibilities.

Had Arizona won last week, it would have been champion of the Border Conference, and host team in the El Paso Sun Bowl.

Tech, previously tied only by Oklahoma Aggies and victor over such elevens as Brigham Young, Wake Forest, Centenary and Marquette, had been mentioned for the Dallas Cotton Bowl and several other post-season contests.

Scotch Tourney Set For Sunday

HARLINGEN — The first Scotch tournament of the season will be held at the Harlingen municipal course, unday, December 8.

Play will start at 1:00 p.m. and all Valley golfers are invited to enter. Individual foursomes may be made up by the players themselves or an effort will be made to arrange for partners for all individual entrants.

Following the tournament a supper will be served. Those planning to enter are requested to do so as early as possible.

Stanford's Indians Take 13-7 Win Over California

By RUSSELL NEWLAND

BERKELEY, Calif.—(AP)—Cleated football warriors of Stanford carved the final chapter of the most gripping gridiron story in Far Western history Saturday with a hard fought 13 to 7 win over the University of California.

It was a story of a comeback from a 1939 season that saw Stanford finish last in the Pacific Coast Conference ra to a 1940 wind-up that bagged the title and battered down the Rose Bowl doors.

Twe touchdown drives in the second period posted the points that brought Stanford undisputed leadership in the conference and the nomination to the New Year's Day classic at Pasadena.

The Indians finished as the only major college team in the Far West with neither defeat nor tie.

California opened the game without the services of its great left tackle, Bob Reinhard, hospitalized Friday night with influenza.

On the second play after the kickoff, California's first string right halfback, Jim Jirkovich, went out of action from a kick in the head.

After a California drive midway of the opening period, which netted two first downs, Stanford cut loose from its own 42 it advanced to California's one yard line as they changed sides for the second quarter. Kmetovic went over for the score.

A short time later, Stanford, stopped on the California 32 yard line, failed on a field goal try.

The Indians snatched at a break to take the ball on California's 35. A bad pass from center on an attempted punt cost the Bears 19 yards and loss of the ball on downs.

From that point quarterback Frank Albert and his unstoppable mates worked the ball to the two yard marker, from where Gallarneau cracked left guard for the touchdown. Albert, successful on the first placekick try for the extra point, failed this time.

When the cause appeared hopelessly lost, a complete smearing in the records, the Bears came to life in stunning fashion and scored in the last minute and half of play.

With left half Orv Hatcher and fullback Jack McQuary alternating in lugging the leather, they pounded nearly three quarters the length of the field to end up with a touchdown. McQuary went over in a nine yard tackle dent. He also kicked the extra point.

Stanford chalked up 12 first downs to 11 for California, had 188 yards net from scrimmage compared to 176 for the Bears and 34 yards by passes to none for its rival.

Fordham's Rams Defeat NYU And Grab Bowl Game

Favorite Hex Ground Into Stadium Mud

NEW YORK—(AP)—Even Fordham's favorite jinx couldn't keep the Rams from leaping into the football bowl Saturday.

Boasting as powerful a set of backs, led by stocky Steve Filipowicz, as they have ever enjoyed, the footballers from Rose Hill mopped up the Lankee Stadium's muddy gridiron with their old neighborhood rival, New York University, 26 to 0, and immediately accepted a bid to the Cotton Bowl game at Dallas on New Year's Day.

Four years ago, New York's Violets upset the Rams and kicked them right out of the Rose Bowl. Saturday, the Violets were wilted and the Rams showed both N.Y.U. and 35,000 customers they had both barrels loaded.

The Rams did about as they pleased all afternoon. Not only did they score four touchdowns, but they crossed the wilting Violet goal line on three other occasions only to have the "microscopic" eye of Referee E. H. Heintz detect a back in motion illegally and call the scoring play back.

Although "Lightning Len" Eshmont and Jerry Bluemenstock were the harder runners in Fordham's crack backfield quartet Saturday, Filipowicz did everything, and did it so well sports writers voted him the "most valuable" man in the election which annually follows the get-together of Pa Knickerbocker's football sons.

Sophomore Steve scored three of the Fordham touchdowns and passed for a fourth. Built close to the ground and about as solid as a cement post, he was the big man of the afternoon.

This was the 22nd renewal of the series, and it is doubtful if ever before one team so outclassed the other in this get-together. Fordham piled up 15 first downs to seven and 318 yards rushing to 35.

Boston College Tops Holy Cross

BOSTON—(AP)—A series of lucky breaks came to the rescue of a top-heavy favorite Boston College football team Saturday and enabled it to maintain its undefeated record and Sugar Bowl game hopes by nosing out a courageous Holy Cross eleven, 7-0, before a 38,000 crowd at Fenway Park.

Knocked back on their tail-feathers by the Crusaders' opening charge, the Eagles stumbled and stalled and never did get out of their own territory until the final period, when the climaxing break, sub end Don Currivan's recovery of Joe Osmanki's fumble, gave them the ball on Holy Cross' five-yard line.

Dolph Kissell, the Eagles' spare line-bucker, took two slams through the tired and discouraged Holy Cross forwards before scoring from the two-yard line, and Frank Maznicki converted the seventh point.

MOVE TO VALLEY

EDCOUCH — Mr. and Mrs. Clyde DeBerry and children of Gonzales arrived the past week to make their cated at present at the J. B. Lester home. Mrs. DeBerry and Mrs. Lester are sisters.

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BROWNSVILLE

Warplanes Fly Against London

100 GERMAN PLANES STAB AT CAPITAL

Limping Destroyer Bags Attacker

By The Associated Press

LONDON—(Sunday)—Nazi warplanes flew against London early today for the second time since nightfall while other German raiders were reported driven from a southwest town (presumably Southampton) "time after time" by an intense anti-aircraft barrage.

Gunfire was heard in the London area when the alarm sounded after midnight but the "all clear" was given shortly afterward.

British informants insisted no bombs were dropped in the raids last night on the southwest town, contradicting German radio claims.

The night raid on the town followed three daylight attacks Saturday and was the eleventh in the last three days.

(As apparent calm came to London Saturday night, a German broadcast heard in New York, said German bombing squadrons roared over Southampton dropping thousands of bombs that started eight big fires to guide subsequent raiders.)

During Saturday afternoon, at least three German planes were shot down, as anti-aircraft guns opened fire and fast Hurricanes and Spitfires rose to turn back more than 100 planes trying to break through London's defense.

The British acknowledged the loss of two planes, whose pilots they said were saved.

The ministry of home security communique said some bombs were dropped Saturday in London's residential areas, but "no great damage" was caused.

The air ministry news service announced three German bombers were shot down, and one damaged when they attacked the torpedoed destroyer Javelin as it limped to port following Thursday's clash with light German naval forces. The three German destroyers involved were reported "repeatedly hit" by British guns.

British airmen claimed to have left a trail of fires in the shipyards of Bremen and in Cologne, on the Rhine, during Friday night's raids. Thursday night they attacked Italian Brindisi, where 26,000 pounds of bombs were said to have been dropped.

Head For Puerto Rico

VOLUNTEERS FROM BROWNSVILLE

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BROWNSVILLE — The three young Brownsville men shown above were scheduled to leave here Saturday night by train for Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, from where they will go to Puerto Rico as volunteers in the United States army air corps.

They will be sent to Louisiana prior to making the trip to Puerto Rico, they said. The youths said they will train in Puerto Rico as mechanics, radio operators and fliers.

Left to right: D. D. Zarate, Albert Champion and Lupe Luna. Zarate and Luna have had previous military training.

They volunteered at local U. S. army recruiting station, which has issued a call for men with high school educations to go to Puerto Rico.

Two other volunteers, Ernest Champion, a cousin of the youth above, and Ricardo Rodriguez, left for Fort Sam Houston Friday night by train.

Have A Little Armadillo At Home?

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WESLACO—Do you have a little armadillo in your home?

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Or we could go on indefinitely, naming possible "pets," any one of which would be eligible for Weslaco's Pet and Doll Buggy Parade which is going to be the biggest and best ever held, judging from the entries already received from all over the Valley and the enthusiasm evidenced.

There is only one "must" in this parade, according to Mrs. J. S. McManus, director of this division of Weslaco's 21st Anniversary celebration. That one rule is that the child entering the parade with his or her doll or pet must not be over ten years of age.

Pets can be dressed if so desired, and dolls can also be specially dressed for the parade if the owners wish them that way, according to Mrs. McManus who also states that one entry can consist of two persons such as a little brother and sister combination. "Buggies may or may not be decorated," she said, adding that "anything goes" in the way of costumes for the children.

P-TA Slates Meeting

HARLINGEN—The James Bowie Parent - Teacher Association will meet at 3:15 p.m. Tuesday, it was stated Saturday.

100 RESCUED FROM SABINE

Outbreak Of Disease Feared In Area

HEMPHILL—(AP)—Boatmen Saturday removed more than 100 Negroes who were trapped on knolls surrounded by Sabine river flood waters in a strip of bottomland known as Robinson's bend.

CCC workers and volunteers sought others Saturday night. No loss of life was reported.

Two of the volunteers, O. H. Smith and V. Lynch, narrowly escaped death when their boat overturned.

Some livestock was rescued but hundreds of head drowned.

The Negroes were housed in a few cabins. There was one case of typhoid fever, and health authorities ordered serum to complete vaccinations. An outbreak of influenza or pneumonia was feared.

Talent Search

School Of The Air Seeks Musicians

KINGSVILLE—The Texas School of the Air is conducting a search for musical talent in the counties of this district, and auditions will be held at the high school auditorium at 10 a.m. on the 16th of December, 1940.

Following the selection of eligibles in the 24 districts of the state, this talent will be presented in a series of six broadcasts over Texas radio networks. These programs will be under the direction of Miss Nell Parmley, director of music, state department of education.

This "search for talent" is being conducted in all grades of the public schools of Texas, and complete details of this program can be found in the bulletin, "The Texas School of the Air," which is now available, and will be sent to any school desiring one.

Included in the Kingsville district are the following counties: Nueces, San Patricio, Jim Wells, Kleberg, Jim Hogg, Webb, Brooks, Zapata, Starr, Hidalgo Cameron Duval Kennedy, and Willacy.

A Christmas party fo rthe tourists auditions may be obtained from E. E. Chamness, deputy state superintendent, Kingsville, or Miss Nell Parmley, director of music, state department of education, Austin, Texas.

San Benito's Dads To Meet On Monday

SAN BENITO—Members of the Dads club will meet at 7:30 p. m. Monday at the high school, announced Sam Griffin, president, Saturday. A feature of the meeting will be the presentation of special dances such as "Put Your Little Foot" by students of Miss Essie Roots, physical education director.

Interpreting the War News

Dictator 'New Order' In Europe Gets Supreme Test This Winter; Most Tragic Christmas Ever Predicted; Tottering Italian Morale Is Seen

Spirit Of English Still Seems To Be Firm

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON

The cold gloom of Europe's second war winter is closing in amid multiplying signs that it may see the Nazi-Fascist "new-order" fellowship put to a supreme and perhaps decisive test.

Imponderable factors preclude even a guess as to where or how the war will end. Among the horsemen of horror loosed on Europe by the war to make this probably the most tragic Christmas season the old world has ever known are starvation and freezing cold for tens of millions of non-combatants.

There are discernable, however, certain symptomatic items indicating that there may be graver concern over the winter outlook in Axis Europe than in London. They give the lie to the Nazi-Fascist assumption that mankind in the mass can be dragooned by force alone into a new way of life.

Italy Weak Link

Intimations of tottering national morale point now toward Italy, not England. No other reasonable explanation of the Italian army's fiasco in Greece has been offered.

Tragic blundering by Italian strategists and army staffs alone cannot account for Greece's rout of her attackers against great odds of numbers and modern battle gear.

It is now revealed by Washington government reports on Italy's economic plight that the British blockade has been grinding for months at Italian morale. Sharply rationed food and skyrocketing prices are noted. That is all Italy has thus far gleaned from Mussolini's great adventure at war in Ethiopia, in Spain and Greece.

England Still Strong

By contrast, in bomb-tortured England there is no hint of declining morale. Bright visions of delivering a finishing stroke at Italy are reflected in London war news. The essential pillars of the Hitler-conceived "new order" structure for continental Europe are lacking still. Spain in the west and Bulgaria in the east are still standing aloof.

An upsurge of French public reaction has thwarted the Hitler-Laval hopes for an effective political union between Berlin and Vichy. Intimations of popular "Free French" demonstrations in both German-occupied and unoccupied France leak through censorships.

In Nazi-conquered Norway, Holland and Belgium the same story is told day by day.

Renewed Hopes

All told, Britain enters the winter season thrilling with renewed hope that Christmas, despite its war tragedies, will be a season of good cheer if not peace in England.

This official picture, British sources say, shows the inner harbor at the Italian naval base at Taranto as it appeared on a follow-up reconnaissance flight after British air raid on night of Nov. 11-12. British source says two damaged cruisers of the Trento class and one other smoking vessel surrounded by large quantities of fuel oil can be seen, together with other Italian warships.

Churchill Is Given Spitfires By Dutch

LONDON—(AP)—Prime Minister Winston Churchill celebrated his 66th birthday Saturday and received a gift from residents of the Netherlands East Indies of money to purchase seven Spitfires for Britain's defense.

ASSESSOR FINDS COW THAT KICKS RATES CLASS 'B'

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PHOENIX, Ariz.—(AP)—Stumped by a notation "class B milch cow," the chairman of the Arizona tax assessors' association asked for help.

W. O. Ruggles, Mohave county assessor, broke the puzzled silence. "That's a cow that kicks."

Texas Collegian Is Journalism Winner

PITTSBURGH—(AP)—The grand council of Pi Delta Epsilon, national collegiate journalism fraternity, declared William Engel of the Penn State Collegian and Dwight Pelkin of the University of Wisconsin Daily Cardinal, respective winners of its editorial and news writing contests.

Second place in the editorial contest went to Boyd Sinclair of the Daily Texan, University of Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Yates of Harlingen announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Betty, photo above, to Finis Easterling, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Easterling of Clanton, Ala. Nuptials for the couple will be solemnized in December at the new St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Harlingen.

Announcement of the engagement and coming marriage of Miss Lucille Chandler, pictured at top, right, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Chandler of Weslaco, and Jack Tebbe of Craig, Colo., son of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Tebbe of Harlingen, was made Friday evening at a smart dinner given by Mrs. Chandler at the Casa de Palmas in McAllen. Marriage of the well-known couple will be one of the outstanding events of the holiday season.

Mrs. Theo David Hazelwood of Brownsville, pictured left above, was before her marriage Thranksgiving morning, Miss Mildred Ormesher. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David L. Ormesher of Harlingen. Mr. Hazelwood is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Hazelwood of Houston. After a brief wedding trip to Saltillo, Mexico, the couple will establish a home in Brownsville.

Miss Sarah Chidlow, pictured at top left, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Chidlow of McAllen, has chosen her parent's wedding anniversary, January first, as the date for her marriage to Chester Smith Davis of Washington, D. C., son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester C. Davis of the same city. The wedding, the holiday season's most brilliant affair for McAllen, will be solemnized at 8 p.m. at Trinity Episcopal Church, Pharr. The ceremony will be performed by Bishop William M. Green of Mississippi, who also officiated at Miss Chidlow's parents wedding in Meridian, Mississippi. Rev. W. W. Stewart, rector of the Pharr church, will assist. Following the ceremony there will be a reception at the bride-elect's parent's home. Mr. Chester C. Davis, father of the groom-to-be, is the agricultural member of the National Defense Advisory Commission.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Anderson of La Feria have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their eldest daughter, Gwendolyn Jeanette, pictured right above, to Osborn M. Little of Weslaco, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Little of Putnam, Texas. The ceremony will take place December 22 at five o'clock in the First Presbyterian Church in La Feria. Miss Anderson received her B.S. degree from the University of South Dakota and Mr. Little is a graduate of Howard Payne College at Brownwood.

(All Photos except that of Miss Chidlow, by Holbrook's Studio)

Arrangement Of Flowers Study Topic

HARLINGEN —Practical information on Flower Arrangement will be given by Mrs. Wm. L. Trammell as the program feature for the regular meeting of the Flower Lovers Club Monday at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. H. M. Dunaway, 809 E. Buchanan.

Mrs. Trammell studied flower arrangement under Dr. Gregory Conway while in California and also attended his lectures in Harlingen last fall.

A report will be made on the progress of extensive beautification work being carried out by the club in the Travis Park. Already quantities of shrubs and flowers are growing in excellent condition and the newly sodded lawn, benefited by rains, is adding to the attractive scene.

Additional donations of carpet grass are needed.

Week Of Prayer Services Slated

RAYMONDVILLE—The Mission Study Class of the Baptist Church met on Monday at the church. Mrs. W. M. Bush presented the review of "Mo ern Macedonia" by Mrs. Trutza.

Beginning the first week in December, the Baptist women will observe their Week of Prayer. There will be services each morning at 10 o'clock on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. On Wednesday evening at 7:30 th Men's Brotherhood will hold their service at the church.

Friday there will be an all day meeting of the women and on Friday evening the young people will have their service at 7:30.

Hosts For Dinner

PHARR—Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hogan entertained with a delightful barbecue supper at their home Friday evening, honoring George Bertine of New York City, who is a guest of friends in the Valley.

Those enjoying the gracious hospitality were Misses Daisy Ellen, Mary Virginia, and Frances Polk, Margaret Hogan, of Pharr, John and Duke Larson and Morris Smith of McAllen; the honored guest and hosts, George Bertine of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hogan of Pharr.

Cultura Club Holds Program On Canada

LA FERIA—"The Economic Aspects of Canada" was the topic for the program presented this week at the meeting of the Cultura Club held at the home of Mrs. R. R. Stephenson. White and bronze chrysanthemums lent decoration.

Mrs. B. E. Coleman was in charge of the program and gave the featured talk. Mrs. A. E. Branch offered a piano solo.

Refreshments were served.

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To Wed In December

Claiming special interest among announcements of weddings to take place during the holidays, was the luncheon given Friday by Mrs. O. B. King of Weslaco to announce the engagement of her daughter, Maydene, to Marion Busby of Lockhart. Mr. Busby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Busby of Tyler. The wedding will be an event of December 22. (Edrington Studio.)

Attractive Luncheon Given Friday Reveals Nuptials Set For Dec. 22

WESLACO — Mrs. O. B. King was hostess for a lovely one o'clock luncheon given Friday, November 29, at Halliburton's to honor her daughter, Miss Maydene King, whose marriage to Marion Busby of Lockhart will take place December 22. Welcoming the guests were Mrs. King and the honoree, the latter especially attractive in her smart frock of light weight blue wool.

The guests were seated at a long table exquisitely appointed to combine the popular autumnal theme with the bridal motif. Centering the board was an arrangement of bronze chrysanthemums while gold leaves and chrysanthemums in the chosen color were placed along its length interspersed with grapes and other colorful small fruits.

Concealed in the fruit and flower clusters were tiny placecards which were drawn by slender cords serving as markers at each place. Names of the affianced couple and the nuptial date were written in white on the gold cards which were decorated in nuptial design with lilies of the valley and a tiny dove.

During the cocktail course Miss Billie Marion Parks gave a toast to the honoree and at the close of the courtesy announced the engagement of Miss Maydene King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. King, and Marion Busby of Lockhart, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Busby of Tyler.

Mrs. F. W. Edwards presented Miss King with a bride's book, beautifully wrapped in the chosen colors and tied with a pretty corsage.

Guests enjoying the announcement luncheon were Misses Billie Marion Parks, Lucille Chandler, LeLoi Williams, Mary Louise Gunther, Mary Louise Johnston, Pauline Marshall, Isa Lou Carey of Harlingen, Dorothy Belle King, Betty Jean Frizzell Margaret Ann Mitchell, Mrs. James McElyea, of Mercedes, Mrs. Shelt Young, Mrs. B. V. Gish and Mrs. F. W. Edwards.

Young Matrons Will Meet Tuesday

COMBES — The Young Matrons Missionary Society will meet Tuesday at the home of Mrs. H. M. King. New officers who will take their posts at this meeting will be Mrs. H. M. King, president; Mrs. Alton Collinsworth, secretary; Mrs. R. Q. Adams, Jr., program chairman, and Mrs. L. B. Martin, reporter. At this meeting, also, the members will reveal their "secret sisters."

Greens Are Hosts For Evening Bridge

SAN JUAN—Mr. and Mrs. Lee M. Green were hosts Tuesday night at their pretty home on west highway, when they entertained honoring Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Sprague of Mihawaka, Indiana. Bridge was the diversion of the evening.

A dessert course was served to Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Shaffstall, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Stugard, Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Sprague, and Mrs. S. H. Dean.

The hosts presented Mrs. Stugard of San Antonio, and Mrs. Sprague with guest prizes, and Mrs. Dean was awarded high score favor for ladies and Mr. Shaffstall high for men.

GO TO AUSTIN

SAN JUAN — Mr. and Mrs. Lee Green and son, Albert Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hudson left Thursday for San Antonio. There they were joined by Mrs. Rosa Mae Tobin and continued to Austin to attend the A. and M.-University football game.

Calvary W.M.S. Has All-Day Meet

HARLINGEN — An all day meeting with covered dish luncheon was held by the Woman's Missionary Society of Calvary Baptist church Tuesday at the home of Mrs. M. T. Gregory on Rio Hondo Road.

The study topic, "Faithful Among Persecutions" was conducted by Mrs. Hartwell Stewart, program chairman.

Mrs. Nolan Mitcham assisted the hostess in serving the luncheon.

A review of the book, "Pulishing Glad Tidings," was presented by Mrs. I. J. Drews.

In the business session the group voted to donate a sum each month for mission work along the border and to prepare Thanksgiving baskets for needy families.

Club Will Meet

HARLINGEN — Meeting of the Child Study Club will be held Thursday at 3:15 p. m. at the home of Mrs. L. E. Seligman. Mrs. G. K. Schuepbach will be co-hostess.

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Church Rites To Be Read December 22

Gwen Anderson To Wed O. M. Little

(Picture Page One)

LA FERIA—Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Anderson have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their eldest daughter, Gwendolyn Jeanette, to Osborne M. Little of Weslaco, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Little of Putman, Texas.

The ceremony will take place December 22 at five o'clock in the afternoon in the First Presbyterian church of La Feria with the Rev. Fred Hopkins, pastor, officiating.

Miss Anderson, a graduate of the La Feria high school, attended Brownsville Junior College and received her B.S. degree from the University of South Dakota at Vermillion. She is a member of Gamma Xi sorority at Brownsville Junior College, and a member of Phi Sigma Iota, honorary foreign language fraternity, and Kappa Alpha Theta, social fraternity. Her sister, Miss Mavis Anderson, will be her only attendant.

Mr. Little is a graduate of Howard Payne College at Brownwood and is now on the coaching staff at Weslaco high school.

Miss Anderson has been a member of the teaching staff at Donna the past two years.

Play, Bibly Study And Missions School Set For Baptists

BROWNSVILLE — Three meetings have been set for Baptist women at the First Baptist church here for next week. At 3 o'clock Monday afternoon there will be Bible study at the church, and at 7:15 o'clock that evening, a church school of mission for the Foreign Mission Week of Prayer.

On Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, a play, The Life of Lottie Moon, will be given.

Valley Youth, Bride Arrive For Visit

SAN JUAN — Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Martin arrived Thursday for a visit following their recent marriage, October 7, in Bryan. They are guests of Mr. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Martin.

The bride is the former Miss Ina Steele, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Steele of Bryan.

Their wedding was an event of October 7.

The bridegroom is a senior at Texas A. and M. College where they will return Sunday.

They were accompanied to the Valley by Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Abbott and daughter, Billie Sue, of Beaumont. Mrs. Abbott is the sister of E. F. Martin in whose home the visitors are guests.

Group To Be Guests For Turkey Dinner

SAN JUAN — Mesdames J. D. Biehn of Donna and Carl Thomson of Alamo, will entertain friends at a turkey dinner, Sunday, at the former's home.

Guests will include Messrs. and Mmes. Virgil Peterson, Fred Schmidt, Elmer Mesenbring, and children, and Mmes. Carl Swantz and Lindenberg, all of McAllen.

Guild Gives Shower

LOS FRESNOS — Eleven members of the Saint Cecilia's Guild of the local Catholic church were cohostesses with the Star of the Sea Guild at Port Isabel when they entertained on Tuesday afternoon with a shower honoring the Sisters of the Parochial school at Port Isabel.

The afternoon was spent in playing bingo after which refreshments were served to more than fifty members who participated.

President La Feria Club

Mrs. H. W. Voiers, La Feria, is president of the Twentieth Century Club, the oldest study club in La Feria. An unusual feature connected with her presidency is the fact that her daughter, Mrs. Jim Goode, is president of La Feria's youngest literary club, the Sorosis Club. (Holbrook Studio)

Health Talk Club Feature

RAYMONDVILLE — Members of the Raymondville Woman's club had as guest speaker on Tuesday afternoon Morgan D. Finley, vice president of the Cameron County Tubercular Association.

"If we put into practice what we know today," he asserted, "the disease could be whipped in our own generation."

Definite ways for women to help, Mr. Finley enumerated as follows: Work for a branch state institution for the Valley; educate the public; promote skin testing and chest clinics; raise funds for the care of local cases. "It has been discovered that climate has less than one per cent weight effect on the disease," he asserted.

Mrs. Frank Wilson, a member of the welfare department of the club, presented the speaker.

Mrs. Esther Kerr played a well-known spiritual and one of Kreisler's waltzes on the violin, accompanied by Mrs. Vera Beck.

Mrs. Burton Rapp gave a report of the Federation of Women's clubs in Austin, to which she was a delegate, and Mrs. S. L. Gill spoke of the unveiling of the placques, the golden jubilee dinner and the election.

Great masses of golden pompon chrysanthemums were banked about the club room. The refreshment table, laid with a handmade medallion cloth, was centered by frosted glass vase containing yellow chrysanthemums. Serving of dainty open-faced sandwiches and Russian tea was presided over by Mrs. Karl Duddlesten.

Santa Maria Club Plans Yule Party

SANTA MARIA — When the Santa Maria 4-H Club held a regular meeting Wednesday, Miss Kathryn Richards helped the members make Christmas gifts.

The group elected Margaret Sue Banter and Sofia Lee Rasco to serve as clothing demonstrators and Brunetta Phillips as poultry representative.

Plans were made for a Christmas party and committees named to handle preparations.

Family Dinner Held

SAN JUAN — A family Thanksgiving dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Cummings, Wednesday evening. The celebration was also in honor of Mr. Cummings' birthday.

Guests included Mrs. S. H. Hancock, Miss Pearl Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. J. Floyd Hetrick, and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Lee M. Green and Albert Lee.

Thanksgiving Dinner Is Pleasing Affair

RAYMONDVILLE — Mrs. C. O. Sundling was hostess for a one o'clock dinner at her home Thanksgiving Day. The table was beautifully decorated to express the Thanksgiving theme.

Mrs. Sundling was assisted in serving by her daughters, Miss Hazel Sundling of San Benito, and Miss Astrid Sundling.

Guests for the pleasant affair were Mr. and Mrs. Jens Nielsen, Miss Eugenia Jeansen, and Jean Jeansen, all of Falfurrias; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Redlund, Mr. and Mrs. Sven Vassburg, David and Paul Vaasburg, Miss Ruth Pearson, and C. O. Sundling.

Mrs. Ray Hartness Hostess To Group

WESLACO—Mrs. Ray Hartness was hostess Tuesday afternoon to the Bluebonnet Club. Mrs. Ted Pratz was an out of club guest.

Mrs. Wm. Jemkines won score award.

The hostess served refreshments at the close of games. Red and pink radiance roses lent attractive decoration.

In Washington

BROWNSVILLE — Miss Jeanne Magill daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Earle Magill, who is a student at the Pratt Institue of Art in Brooklyn, spent Thanksgiving at National Park College in Washington. Miss Magill attended National Park last year.

Garden Pests To Be Topic For Meeting

HARLINGEN — N. O. Berry will be guest speaker Thursday at 3 p.m. at the regular meeting of the Harlingen Garden Club to be held at the Woman's Building. Mr. Berry, who is connected with the U. S Department of Agriculture, will discuss pests from the standpoint of Valley gardeners and will offer suggestions for their control.

Everyone interested is invited to hear Mr. Berry's talk.

MUSIC CLUB MEET SET FOR WEDNESDAY

Mrs. A. E. Krebs will be leader for the program on 19th century music to be presented Wednesday at 3:15 at the Woman's Building at the regular meeting of the Music Lovers Club. Numbers will include "Nightfall," Griffes, played by Mrs. Charles A. Washmon; "Beautiful Evening," Debussy, sung by Mrs. I. G. Fox; "Edward Ballade," Brahms, played by Mrs. W. J. Williams; and a double piano number from Brahms, played by Mrs. Jim Koonce and Miss Mary Elizabeth Challes.

Hostesses will be Mesdames F. L. Flynn and E. C. Deering.

PARENTS, EDUCATORS TO MEET MONDAY

Promptly at 3:30 p.m. Monday there will be a meeting of the Sam Houston Parents and Educators at the school. Mrs. Van R. Wiggins is to be speaker and Miss Emogene Oler will be soloist. An executive board meeting will be held at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. W. W. King

Mrs. Thomas Rives Luncheon Hostess

WESLACO — Mrs. Thomas F. Rives was hostess to her luncheon club Tuesday entertaining the members and guests with a Thanksgiving turkey dinner at her lovely home.

The guests were seated at a large table attractively decorated in the Thanksgiving theme.

With the members enjoying the hospitable affair were Mrs. Jack Zillafro, Mrs. George Hall and Mrs. Rankin Kennedy.

Mrs. Bryon Hutto won high score and Mrs. Leroy Buss second high.

New Club Officers Will Be Installed

LA FERIA— The home demonstration club will meet at Legion Hall Monday afternoon. Officers will be installed and annual reports given. The meeting will mark the final business session of the year.

BODENMILLERS VISIT

RIO HONDO — Mr. and Mrs. George Bodenmiller have gone to San Antonio to spend the holidays with relatives. Mrs. Bodenmiller will remain there for a few weeks. Mr. Bodenmiller will return to his work at Rio Hondo Monday.

Betrothed

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gallaway of Mercedes announce the engagement and coming marriage of their daughter, Phyllis, to William Schwarz of Mercedes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schwarz of Mercedes. The wedding will take place January 1, 1941, in the home of the bride-to-be's brother, Steve Gallaway.

Jones Home Is Cocktail Party Scene

McALLEN—Mrs. Anne Jo Jones entertained a group of visitors Thanksgiving afternoon at her cleverly appointed home with a cocktail party, a prelude to delightful holiday evening.

Centering the cocktail table, laid with an imported cloth, was a large boat-shaped bowl filled to overflowing with bronze chrysanthemums. Slim strands of bronze ribbons linked two blue pottery bowls to the centerpiece. Tasty dishes of appetizers blended with the decorative effect.

Mrs. Jones' unique collection of music boxes provided merriment for the early evening.

Later the group went to the A. J. Campbell home and still later to the J. D. Lauck's home at Pharr for a midnight cold turkey snack.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. F. Peterson and Dr. and Mrs. Curtis Jones, all of Benton, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hart, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Stockton Fountain, with the Campbells, Laucks and Mrs. Jones.

ATTEND GAME

HARLINGEN — Among Harlingen residents attending the football game in Corpus Christi were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Williams, Dr. and Mrs. G. Earl Allen, and Miss Bettylou Williams.

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B. P. Jaco Is Honored On Birthday

RAYMONDVILLE—In recognition of her father's 77th birthday anniversary Mrs. W. V. Pittman gave a dinner party on Thanksgiving Day in her home. Chrysanthemums in bronze and yellow gave radiance to the reception room and deep lavender chrysanthemums in clear crystal centered the table laid with damask.

Mr. Jaco was born in Longtown, Miss., in 1863. After many interesting years in the ministry of the Methodist church he was superannuated because of ill health and came to the Valley with Mrs. Jaco in November, 1925, to live.

For several years he has been teacher of the Men's Bible class of the Methodist church, and has many times filled the pulpits of the various churches of the town.

Guests at the lovely affair were Mrs. C. E. Bonner, who because of ill health, has been unable to visit anyone since last Thanksgiving, and Mr. Bonner, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lee Brown, Mr. and Mrs. John Serota, and Stanley Addington.

Calendar

HARLINGEN

MONDAY

9:30 a. m. Flower Lovers Club meets at the home of Mrs. H. M. Dunaway, 809 E. Buchanan.

12 noon. Harlingen Business and Professional Woman's Club meets at the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel.

3 p. m. Baptist W.M.S. meets at the church for week of prayer service.

5 p. m. Harlingen Assembly of the Order of the Rainbow meets at the Masonic Hall.

2:30 p. m. Executive board meeting Sam Houston Parents and Educators at home of Mrs. W. W. King

3:30 p. m. Sam Houston Parents and Educators meet at the school.

TUESDAY

7:30 p. m. Harlingen group Composers and Authors Association meets at the Woman's Building.

7:30 p. m. Little Theatre group meets in Madison Hotel ballroom.

1 p. m. Baptist W.M.S. meets at church for monthly business luncheon followed by prayer service.

7:30 p. m. Community meeting at the Stuart Place school.

3 p. m. Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service meets as follows: One, with Mrs. W. M. McMillan, 1122 E. Jackson; two, at the church; three, with Mrs. W. A. Stephens, 1300 E. Taylor; four, with Mrs. I. B. Corns at Stuart Place; five, with Mrs. L. G. Harris, 710 E. Buchanan; six, with Mrs. L. R. Hollingsworth, 701 E. Taylor.

2:30 p. m. St. Anthony's Guild will hold a regular business meeting with Mesdames G. W. Johnston, Carl Peters, and C. S. McQueeney as hostesses, the place to be announced later.

WEDNESDAY

3:15 p. m. Music Lovers Club meets at the Woman's Building.

12:30 noon. Child Study Council meets in McAllen at First Methodist Church.

THURSDAY

3 p. m. Baptist W.M.S. meets at church for week of prayer service.

3 p. m. Harlingen Garden Club meets at the Woman's Building.

3:15 p. m. The Child Study Club meets at the home of Mrs. L. E. Seligman.

2:30 p. m. St. Alban's Guild of the Episcopal Church meets at the home of Mrs. John T. Thompson.

FRIDAY

3 p. m. Baptist W.M.S. meets at the church for week of prayer service.

McALLEN

MONDAY

2:30 p. m.—Members of the chorus of the McAllen Music Club will meet at the home of Mrs. M. C. Brown for practice before the regular meeting of the club.

3:00 p. m.—The McAllen Music Club will hold its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. M. C. Brown.

3:00 p. m.—The Lincoln School Parent-Teacher Association will meet at the school.

3:00 p. m.—The G-Women' Club will meet with Mrs. E. Dube, 1521 Ivy avenue.

TUESDAY

9:30 a. m.—The City Federation of Women's Clubs will meet at the First Methodist Church.

2:00 p. m.—The Dorcas Class of the First Methodist Church will meet at the church for a Christmas party with Mrs. M. H. Collins and Mrs. J. L. Cramer, hostesses.

WEDNESDAY

12:30 p. m.—The McAllen Child Study Club will be hostess group to the Valley Child Study Club Council at the First Methodist Church for luncheon and an afternoon meeting.

4:00 p. m.—A tea and reception at the Casa de Palmas Hotel will honor grand officers of the Order of the Eastern Star here for the school of instruction tomorrow.

THURSDAY

9:00 a. m.—The annual school of instruction for the 16 Valley Eastern Star chapters will open at the Masonic Temple and close tonight with a banquet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

9:30 a. m.—The Junior Service League will meet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel for the first check-up on ticket sales for the dance the unit is sponsoring December 14 at Club Royale.

2:30 p. m.—Mrs. Si Casady will be hostess to the McAllen circle of the Trinity Episcopal Church auxiliary.

SATURDAY

9:30 a. m.—The Altar Society will stage its annual one-day bazaar at the Jones building, South Main street.

The Valley Pan-Hellenic will meet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel for luncheon.

IN AUSTIN

DONNA — Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ray were in Austin for the Texas A. and M. game Thursday afternoon.

Chairman Style Show

Mrs. C. Burt McKeehan of Weslaco is chairman of the committee for Weslaco's annual Style Show to be held Thursday night, December 12, in connection with the annual Weslaco Birthday party. Because of the large number of organizations entering models wearing costumes of vegetables, fruits, and flowers, the spectacle this year promises to be the most dazzling in the history of the event which has gained nation-wide recognition, reports presented to Mrs. McKeehan indicate.

Miss Mildred Ormesher Wed To T. D. Hazelwood In Thanksgiving Rites

Brownsville Pair Is United In Harlingen Church Ceremony

HARLINGEN — Of particular interest in Brownsville and Harlingen, as well as other parts of the Valley is the marriage of Miss Mildred Lees Ormesher, of Brownsville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Lees Ormesher of Harlingen, to Theo David Hazelwood of Brownsville, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Hazelwood of Houston.

The rites were solemnized Thursday morning at 9 o'clock at the First Methodist church in Harlingen with only members of the two families and a very few intimate friends attending. Officiating was the Rev. J. Leonard Rea, pastor of the First Methodist church at Brownsville.

Giant white chrysanthemums, greenery, fern and potted palms combined to create a lovely setting for the ceremony.

The couple was unattended.

The bride entered with her father who gave her in marriage. She wore a tailored frock of sheer wool in a pastel blue especially becoming to her blonde coloring. The frock was made with full, three-quarter length sleeves, a draped bodice and a slightly flared skirt. The bride's accessories were black, and her costume was completed with a profile hat of matching pastel felt. Sweetheart roses in shades of pink and lilies of the valley fashioned her shoulder corsage.

Preceding the ceremony, Kent Stratford of Brownsville was at the organ for a musical prelude. He played "Dreams" by Stohlton, and "Clair de Lune" by Debussy, repeating the last softly during the ceremony. Accompanied by Mr. Stratford, Miss Emogene Oler of Harlingen sang the prenuptial solo, "Because."

Immediately following the ceremony, there was a reception at the home of the bride's parents in Harlingen. Here bronze chrysanthemums were used in profusion in the living and music rooms, and in the dining room where pink roses in several shades.

The table, laid with lace, held at one end the round, three-tiered cake, embossed in bridal design entirely in white, and topped with a miniature bridal pair. Serving the cake after the bride had cut the first slice was Mrs. Ralph B. Ormesher, who wore a blue crepe frock with a corsage of bronze chrysanthemums. Presiding at the coffee service was Mrs. A. E. Krebs, who wore black crepe with a corsage of violets. Assisting here also was Miss Oler.

The bride's mother was handsome in wine-colored crepe, worn with black accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazelwood left soon afterwards for Saltillo on a brief honeymoon trip. They were to return Sunday to make their home at 510 East Elizabeth, Brownsville.

The bride, a talented vocalist, is a graduate of the Incarnate Word music school in San Antonio, and studied music at the University of Colorado and at Juilliard's in New York. For the past two years she has been an instructor in the Brownsville junior high school. She is director of the First Methodist church choir of Brownsville.

Mr. Hazelwood, a graduate of Butler University at Indianapolis, Ind., has been residing in the Middlewest and East until the past year. He is associated with Mauldin Aircraft in Brownsville.

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Brownsville Girl Heard In Recital

BROWNSVILLE — Miss Leah Field Longoria was presented in her grade C, third year, piano recital in the junior college auditorium by her instructor, Professor Antonio Ortiz, director of the Beethoven Musical Institute here.

The program comprised 18 difficult works of the classical composers, all played from memory with great skill and brilliant execution by Miss Longoria.

The stage was decorated with gladioli in floor baskets. Miss Longoria wore a colonial style gown of ashes of roses taffeta a Cotillion original.

After the recital there was a reception at the home of the recitalist's sister, Mrs. Juan Jose Champion, and Mr. Champion.

The table, laid with a cloth of hand-drawn linen, was centered with red radiance roses in a silver bowl, flanked with green tapers in silver holders. Presiding at the coffee service was Miss Bertha Champion, and serving was Mrs. Enrique M. Longoria of Laredo. Assisting in hostess duties were Miss Sarita Longoria of Laredo, Mrs. Antonio Longoria, Jr., Mrs. Joseph Leyendecker of Laredo, Mrs. Benito Longoria, Jr., Miss Magdalena Champion, Mrs. A. A. Champion, and Miss Irene Putegnat.

Out of town guests for the recital and reception were Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Longoria and Mrs. Joseph Leyendecker of Laredo, and other guests from the Valley and Matamoros.

Art Exhibit Is Planned

MISSION—An art exhibit will be the guest day program feature planned by members of the Mission Branch of the American Association of University Women, for Saturday, December 7, at the library.

Mrs. V. V. Lehman, Weslaco, will be presented in the program, showing exhibits of her paintings and of work done by pupils of Weslaco schools, where she is art instructor. In her own right, Mrs. Lehman has received wide recognition for her work. She has studied under leading artists of America, including those in the art department of the University of Wisconsin, where she was enrolled last summer. Included among the pieces to be shown will be an entire puppet theatre which has been made by Mrs. Lehman's students.

Arrangements for the guest day program are in charge of Mrs. C. L. Saunders.

Mission Pair Notes 25th Anniversary

MISSION — Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hodge left early Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with their daughter, Mrs. Cates Eppright and Lieut. Eppright at Randolph Field, San Antonio. They will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary while there. Thursday, the two couples attended the Texas-A. and M. game in Austin together.

Garden Club Names Model For Pagent

PHARR—Miss Frances Polk, daughter of Mrs. Virginia N. Polk, has been chosen to represent the Pharr Garden Club in the Weslaco Style Show.

Miss Polk, a red head, will wear a skating costume made from popped corn kernels.

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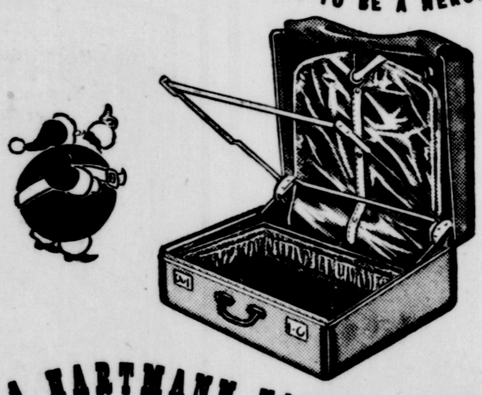

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Pair Serves At Tea

Shown above are Mrs. James L. Rentfro, seated, left and Mrs. Augustine Celaya, Jr., who were in the house party at one of the recent large social events in Brownsville. In the background is a tea guest, Miss Sophia Spivey, chatting with another guest. (Staff Photo.)

Nuptials For Couple Thanksgiving Morning Of Noteworthy Interest

EDINBURG — In a simple but impressive ceremony Thanksgiving morning, Miss Margaret Wall, daughter of Mrs. Anie Wall, became the bride of Edwin Fritz of Kerrville, at eight-thirty at the Sacred Heart Catholic church.

The couple pledged their vows before a beautifully decorated altar with white and yellow chrysanthemums, and tall white tapers glowing. The Rev. Father P. J. Kennedy, pastor, read the lines.

The bride, who entered with the groom to a traditional wedding march, wore a blue chiffon velvet model on princess lines with a double strand of pearls. She carried an arm bouquet of white gladioli. Her accessories were black.

Her only attendant was her sister, Miss Ruth, who wore a wine pebble-crepe frock with wine accessories. Her corsage was of pink roses.

The bride's mother wore a grape wine chiffon velvet model with black accessories.

The groom was attended by his brother, Francis Fritz of Fredericksburg.

During the ceremony, Mrs. C. J. Siegrist played soft notes on the organ and accompanied Miss Harriette Hagedorn who sang.

Immediately following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was held at the home of the bride's mother. Pretty white and yellow chrysanthemums decorated the rooms. The dining table, laid with a hand-made Hardanger cloth, was centered by the wedding cake, a three-tier white confection. After the bride assisted by the groom, cut the first piece, the bride's cousin, Mrs. Frances Guelker, served. The silver coffee service was on a small table near the dining table. Mrs. H. O. Schaleben and Mrs. George Magee poured the coffee.

The bride wore a smart tiel blue woolen suit with black accessories for her going away ensemble. She is a graduate of Edinburg high school and has been employed at the Agriculture Adjustment Administration office for the past few months.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fritz of Fredericksburg and is office manager in the Ford Motor Company in Kerrville. He is a graduate of St. Mary's high school at Fredericksburg and of Draughn's Business College of San Antonio. The couple will make their home in Kerrville.

Out of town guests for the wedding were the groom's brothers, Francis and Victor Fritz of Fredericksburg.

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March Of Time Bougainvillea Pageant To Be Picturesque

Donna Event To Inaugurate Fiesta Season

DONNA —A South American jungle, an effete court of the 19th century, and a beautiful garden in the Rio Grande Valley are the strongly contrasting backgrounds represented in the three acts of "Bougainvillea March of Time," to be presented Thursday and Friday night, December 5 and 6. The pageant is one of the major events of Donna's annual Rio Grande celebration, and of outstanding interest throughout the Valley because of the recognition it gives to the Valley's Bougainvillea Trail which will be formally inaugurated next March.

Beautifully dramatized with elaborate costumes, appropriate dances by pupils from the Elstner School of Dance, and dialogue presenting the romantic history of the Valley's much publicized flower trail, the pageant will be the outstanding event of the kind for the season.

The opening scene presents Philibert Commerson, the botanist who discovered the bougainvillea 80 years ago, represented by Miles White. Andrew Champion has the role of Louis Antonine de Bougainvillea, for whom the shrub was named, the French navigator commanding the voyage. Mrs. Vera Kirkpatrick represents Mother Nature and Miss Betty Vertrees has the principal role of Sanderiana as the Princess Bougainvillea.

To Have Roles

Other characters include June Standridge, Shirley Taylor, Ruth Green, Catherine Miller, Mary Holloway, Louise Perkins, Hazel Hart, Barbara Ewing, Ruth Neubauer, Dorothy Rose, Billie Ruth Johnsen, and Betty Sue Capen as Spirits of Vegetation; Oris Johnson and Junior Wyatt, monkeys; Ruth Cohrs, Evelyn Grubb, Vivian Heflin, Mary Norma Lanius, canaries; Adrian Ramsey, Ann Alcorn, Gwinnie Stites, Christine Champion, Gloria Kammer, and Betty Sue Patterson, butterflies.

Harold Shumate, Weslaco, has the role of Father Time.

Music will be by the Donna Redskin band directed by N. G. Patrick.

Representing Sanderiana's sisters, will be Martha Chesnutt, Shirley Ward, Winona Farris, Jean Tracey, Nelwyn Kennedy, Marie Cox, Yleen Bracken, Marie Moye, and Edna Davis.

Miss Esther Combs is piano accompanist.

Court Scene

Roles in the elaborate court scene for Act II will be portrayed by George Vance, Glenn White, Sally Weaver, Gene Stainke, Miller Hammons, Jr., Mal Wunn, Ima and Iva Stuart, Eula Martin, Marie Antoinette George, Norma Edwards, Alvin Tracey, Jean Weinert, Vernon Sutphen, Dorothy Manville, M. Sommers, Chris Arnold, Louise Boyce, Clyde Todd, Marjorie Matteson, M. M. Moss, Warren Jackson, George Wheelock, L. H. Hinkle, Darren Wills, O. E. Agan, Sid Hooper, Nathalie Rutosky.

Martha Robinson is pianist for Act III which presents a gorgeous wedding spectacle with Sanderiana as the bride.

Principals will include:

Groom's family, Mother Earth, Mrs. Sid Hopper; Father Earth, Moulton "Ty" Cobb; Sisters Grapefruit, Lime, Lemon, and Rose, Jane Weaver, Rosemary Dodd, Doris Jewell, and Marion Somers; Brother Cactus, Eldon Sargeant; Cousin whitewing, Helen Wyatt; Uncle Jackrabbit, Cliff Holland; Uncle Neptune, Branch Roberts; Uncle Carpet Grass, Frank Thomason.

Sanderiana's family and friends: Mother Nature, Mrs. Kirkpatrick; Father Nature, A. B. Sanders; palm, bluebonnet, poinsettia, and orange spirits, Virginia Boling, Patsy Huntley, Annie Laura Leadbetter, and Jean Baker.

Princess Is Bride

Miss Vertrees as the Princess Sanderiana will have the role of bride; Orin Anderson, representing Mr. Trail, is to be the groom; and F. E. Groves will portray Preacher Advertising. Buck Henson will be best man as Senor Rio; Mrs. Eldon Sargent will be soloist as Lady Retama; Huey Todd is city marshal; Walter Bean, Mr. Lack Interest; and Ralph Andrews, radio announcer.

Groomsmen will be Delbert Eining, Harry Schreiber, Paul Smith, Jens Mortonson, Weslaco, Billie Smith, Mission, Mike MacManus, Brownsville, Jimmy Landrum, San Benito, Herbie Ennis, Lonnie Agan, Fred Speickerman, Herman Porter, Miller Hammons, Jr., Gene Stainke, Alvin Tracey, Andrew Champion, and Mal Wynn. Junior groomsmen will be Bobbie Boeye, James Morrow, Daniel Bacon, and E. Chrisman.

Attendants to the bride will be Winona Farris, Shirley Ward, Alice Eining, Martha Chesnutt, Ruth Landry, Mission, Nelwyn Kennedy, Bettye Burkhart, Alamo, Marie Cox, Aline East, San Benito, Mae Wood, Yleen Bracken, Jean Tracy, Gloria Mertz, McAllen, Marie Moye, Mildred Fish, Brownsville, Edna Davis, and Rosemary Hart.

Flower girls will include Sandra Martin, Rosemary Washburn, Carol Kay Hooks, Sylvia Tracy, Joan Prather, and Alice Ann Holland.

Mrs. D. A. Purear is chairman of the pageant and Mrs. H. B. Scott is co-chairman. Others on the managing staff include Miss Jessie Mercer, director; Mrs. Rosita Alcorn, mistress of wardrobe; Mrs. Dale Washburn, technical director; L. F. "Cot" Boling, publicity director; Miss Beulah Moye, house manager; D. L. Wilson, lighting.

On Holiday Visit

SAN BENITO—Miss Laura Nell Carpenter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Carpenter, and Miss Shirley Gudmanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gudmanson of Bayview, are spending the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents. The girls are roommates and first year student nurses at John Sealy Hospital in Galveston.

Mrs. Dale Washburn of Donna is general chairman for the scenery and staging effects for the March of Time Bougainvillea Pageant to be presented in Donna December 5 and 6. Mrs. Washburn is particularly active in the Donna Garden Club and also shares in civic and church activities in Donna. (Holbrook Studio.)

Retiring President

Mrs. Ray Foncannon, who has served as president of the La Feria Home Demonstration Club for the past two years, will conclude her administration at the next meeting. Mrs. Foncannon will be parliamentarian for the coming year for the Home Demonstration Council of Cameron County. (Holbrook Studio.)

Grand O. E. S. Officers Will Conduct School Of Instruction Thursday

McALLEN—Valley members of the Order of the Eastern Star will convene here Thursday for the annual school of instruction at the Masonic Temple conducted by grand officers.

Grand officers will arrive early in the week, headed by Mrs. Robbie Dyer of Amarillo, worthy grand matron, and A. E. Shirley of Port Arthur, worthy grand patron, according to Mrs. M. H. Laycock, worthy matron of the McAllen chapter.

The first social event of their visit will be a tea and reception Wednesday for which the 16 Valley chapters will be hostesses at the Casa de Palmas Hotel Wednesday from 4 p.m. until 6 p.m.

The recently organized chapter at Edcouch will be constituted Wednesday night.

Scores of Valley Eastern Stars are expected to gather here to meet the grand officers at the tea, the preliminary event to the school of instruction Thursday.

The school of instruction will be conducted by Mrs. Dyer with Mrs. Lucille Duffner of San Antonio, district deputy grand matron; Mrs. Jane Hensley of La Feria, deputy grand matron; and Mrs. Hattie Lucille Dowell of Austin, grand examiner.

Several other grand officers are expected to attend.

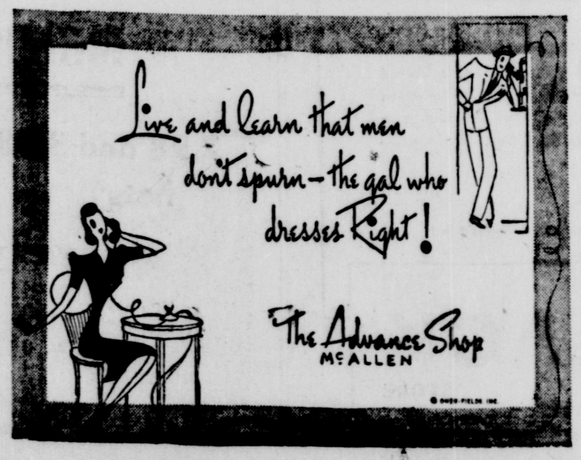
The all-day school will be climaxed that night with a banquet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel where again the 16 Valley chapters will serve as hostesses.

Mrs. Dean Hostess

SAN JUAN—Mrs. H. S. Dean had as her guests Thanksgiving evening, in Reynosa for dinner, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Sullivan, Lane, and Miss Jane Rhinehart. The occasion was in honor of Mr. Sullivan's birth date.

Miss Myers Goes

BROWNSVILLE—Miss Katherine Myers left Thursday evening for Austin where she attended the council of Texas Young People of the Presbyterian church. She was to return her Sunday evening.



Art Show, Tea Slated Thursday

Mrs. Si Ray's Works To Be Shown

BROWNSVILLE—Members of the Brownsville Art League will present works of Mrs. Si D. Ray in a one-man show Thursday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce. The art exhibit will open with a tea between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock, though the pictures will remain on exhibit throughout the evening.

The show is the league's contribution to National Art Month, in which artists and art groups attempt to place art before the public, and to stimulate art appreciation.

Mrs. Ray's work is familiar to many Valleyites as she has exhibited in local and Valley displays, and has taken prizes in the Valley Mid-Winter Fair art contest. The showing will be composed of about two dozen oils, landscapes painted this summer while Mrs. Ray was a member of the art colony at Sul Ross at Alpine. The paintings depict scenes at Fort Davis, the Chisos Mountains, and the Big Bend country.

Mrs. Ray is a charter member of the Brownsville Art League, which celebrates its sixth birthday this year, and of the Alexandria, La., Art League. She studied under Will Stevenson at Sophie Newcomb in New Orleans, under Martin Sills of New York, and under Harry Anthony De Young of San Antonio.

In addition to her local and Valley exhibitions, Mrs. Ray has exhibited in Dallas, San Marcos, Houston, Austin, Kingsville, Alpine, and in Alexandria, La. She has been invited to display her paintings in Chicago this February.

Holiday Bazaar To Be Conducted By Altar Society

McALLEN—The McAllen Altar Society will observe a custom of long standing Saturday with a bazaar at the Jones building on South Main Street.

The bazaar room, filled with Christmas gift suggestions, will open at 9 a. m. with luncheon servel at noon and again at night. The bazaar will close with the closing of downtown stores.

Booths of small potted plants, dish towels, aprons, fancy work, pillowcases, sheets and Christmas candies will be featured.

Mrs. H. L. Cummins To Give Program At Review Club

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Howard L. Cummins will be in charge of the program when members of the Literature and Art Review Club meet with Mrs. F. W. Hofmokel Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Cummins will review the Scarlet Letter by Nathaniel Hawthorne.

The Mexican campaign of 1916 taught the U. S. army the need for motorized equipment.

Plan Annual Dance Event

McAllen Junior Service League members here were preparing to launch the ticket sale for their semi-annual Christmas Charity Ball at Club Royale, Saturday, December 14. Twice each year the attractive young matrons and misses who comprise the league membership stage a dance that is tops in Upper Valley entertainment for charity. Mrs. Jack Lomax, seated left, and Mrs. Wilfred Dean, right, are but two of the score or more league members active for the project.

Episcopal Group Precedes Meeting With Luncheon

McALLEN—A business meeting of a Trinity Episcopal Church committee was preceded Friday with a luncheon at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

Vernon C. Hill, Mission attorney and chairman of the committee, was host.

Attending were Mr. anl Mrs. Hill, Mrs. T. H. Armstrong, all of Mission; Mrs. Leland McCullough of Pharr, Mrs. Harrison Riddle of San Juan, Mrs. Si Casady, Mrs. O. Terry, Mrs. Charles Herndon, Mrs. Gordon Baxter and the Rev. W. W. Stewart.

Two Are Honored On Birthdays

LOS FRESNOS—A joint celebration of the birthdays of Charles Gobar of Bayview and E. E. Ogden of San Benito was observed when the families met for a Thanksgiving dinner at the Gobar home on Sunday.

Present for the unusual celebration were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ogden and family of San Benito, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Chatelle, Mrs. E. C. Swann, Mrs. N. G. Chatelle, Jimmy and Gerry Chatelle and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gobar and family.

HERE FOR WEEK-END

HARLINGEN—Billy Kincy, freshman at A. and M. College, is spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Kincy. He attended the Texas A. and M. game at Austin Thursday, and will see the Harlingen-Corpus game Friday night.

Miss Elsie Hahn Is Bride Of Richard E. Brown In Early Morning Service

HARLINGEN—In an early morning ceremony at St. Anthony's church Thursday, Miss Elsie Hahn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Hahn, became the bride of Richard E. Brown of Austin. Father A. Antoine, O. M. I., officiated.

Attendants to the couple were Miss Lucille Hahn and Joe Hahn, sister and brother of the bride.

The bride wore soldier blue with black accessories and her sister wore black lace with harmonizing accessories.

Mrs. Hahn, mother of the bride, wore a costume in navy and white and the mother of the bridegroom, Mrs. William Brown, Sr., of Corpus Christi, was attired in black.

Out of town guests for the wedding, in addition to the bride's sister from Houston, were Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, Sr., of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Hacker of Brownsville, and Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, Jr., of Brownsville.

After a Thanksgiving dinner for the wedding party, served at the home of the bride's parents, 418 E. Monroe, the couple left for Austin where they will make their home.

VISITS PARENTS

LA VILLA — Mrs. Bill Pettus, San Benito, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Schlotzhauer.

Hospitality In Mission Is Enjoyable

MISSION—A pleasant informal hospitality was that of Friday afternoon when Mrs. J. F. Honey entertained honoring a popular Valley visitor, Mrs. C. C. Andrews, of Celina. Mrs. Andrews, who has been honoree for a series of informal courtesies during her fortnight's visit with her daughter, Mrs. L. G. Plyler, and Mr. Plyler, left Saturday to return home. She was accompanied to San Antonio by Mr. and Mrs. Plyler and their son, Charles Grady.

Tea dainties were served during the afternoon to Mesdames Andrews, Plyler, D. W. Schulze, Leon H. Brown, W. R. Blalock, C. K. Wildermuth, E. M. Goodwin, C. F. SoRelle and R. S. Wiley, the latter of Cameron. Yellow chrysanthemums decorated the rooms.

Two guests were included with members of the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club when Mrs. Dan Friesen entertained the group this week.

Miss Mary Atkins of McAllen and Mrs. M. E. Baggett were the guests. Member players were Miss Mary Vaiden Wood, Mrs. C. E. Langston, Mrs. W. F. Oakes, Mrs. Glen Buckner, Mrs. Leon Scott, Mrs. Frank Keller, Mrs. David Wood, Jr., and Mrs. Norton Boyd.

Score honors were claimed by Miss Wood and Miss Atkins for high and second high, respectively.

Dainty refreshments were served after the games.

Christmas Bazaar Set Friday By Methodist Units

BROWNSVILLE — A Christmas bazaar will be held by members of the Lucy Rae and Young Matrons circle of the First Methodist Church Friday in front of the J. C. Penney Company store.

Attractive and practical articles, suitable for Christmas gifts will be on sale. Mrs. James E. Haywood has been named chairman of the event.

To San Antonio

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs Frank Berwald departed Wednesday evening for San Antonio where they spent Thanksgiving. They made the trip by car.

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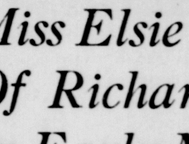

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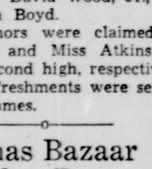

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This 'n That

By MINNIE GILBERT

WITH December's arrival the fiesta season is officially under way in the Rio Grande Valley.

First of the colorful fiestas that residents have developed for their own pleasure but may develop into major tourist attractions will be Donna's Dia Grande.

Because Dia Grande sponsors chose to give the biggest play to a spectacular pageant publicizing the Bougainvillea Trail, the Donna fiesta will afford a valuable service by educating residents regarding the origin and early history of the colorful shrub that will soon dominate the Valley landscape.

NATIONWIDE publicity has become a taken-for-granted feature of Weslaco's unique fiesta set for December 11-12.

The breath-taking style show presenting models wearing costumes made of Valley products, such as citrus, carrots, flowers, or corn annually attracts cameramen for nationally known motion picture news services.

Yet, there is a very large percentage of Valley citizens who have not seen the annual parade of costumes that represent hundreds of hours of patient work on the part of members of clubs sponsoring models.

AND, with the task of completing costumes for the Weslaco Birthday celebration—the 21st this year—it's not too early to be considering a costume to wear in February during Charro Days, the Valley's newest and most brilliant fiesta.

So far, costuming has been limited principally to Brownsville, the home of the fiesta, and nearby Matamoros, with residents drawing principally upon the numberless regional costumes of Mexico for inspection.

With a little encouragement, residents of other Valley towns would attend the carnival wearing costumes instead of merely as spectators.

To lend variety, residents of the newer Valley towns—infants compared with Brownsville and Matamoros—could reproduce costumes of early settlement days, choosing ranch type clothes or the heavy boots and khaiki with brush jackets worn by engineers, contractors, and others who shared in transforming the native jungle to irrigated farm lands.

NO, calendar of fiestas, of course, would be complete without mention of Mission's annual Citrus Fiesta, one of the oldest and most successful celebrations enjoyed by Valley reidents and visitors.

THERE can be no grounds for complaint this season that local stores do not afford opportunity for Valley women and girls to wear pastel and light colors that might be expected in a winter resort section.

From time to time the past few years, leaders have urged the Valley's population to wear summer-like attire in shirt-sleeve weather whether the calendar reads winter or spring.

But, the catch has been that costumes offered in Valley stores were all dark; the type being sold throughout the country.

This year the designers decided muted, soft pastels would look well under dark coats and they've turned them out in fascinating array.

Yet, the dark, somber colors predominate about eight to one in any gathering of Valley women, regarduess of whether temperature is eighty or fifty.

Garden club members over the Valley are hoping that all women and girls will acquire at least one light-colored outfit to wear during the state garden club convention next March.

IF Valley gals adopt the Hollywood craze for ornaments of "jungle lace"—the stuff wrapped by nature around trunks of palm trees—maybe all the shaggy, dead leaves will be clipped from Valley palm trees.

Style setters at Palm Springs and other desert vacation spots are introducing novelty by wearing buttons, belts, and gay flowers for the lapel made of the filagree-like ravelings from the palmetto trunks.

Nothing, it seems, helps more to lend a tidy look to the Valley's landscape than a much-needed haircut for the towering palms that line the highways.

FLOWERS for the lapel or hair just placed on the market are made of the plastic used for the transparent shoes but done in jewel colors.

A Valley woman had the electric washing machine half full of clothes early Friday before she realizel the day after Thanksgiving wasn't Monday.

FRIENDS of Mrs. Mable Peebles are so enthusiastic over the pottery dolls she makes that they're urging her to give all her time to it. Two are exhibited in a Harlingen window a part of the exhibit of work by artists in observance of National Art Week.

MRS. Roy Porter added further to her laurels during a recent hunting trip near Kerrville by bringing down a 10-point buck. Mrs. Porter reports more women are becoming interested in shooting and believes it's a sport destined for increased popularity with her sex.

Street address of the W. D. Carlisle's, who recently landed at their first mission post in Montevideo, is Calle Colorado, 1876 instead of the address given in their account of their trip published last Sunday. Mrs. Carlisle is the former Miss Ruth Newport of Combes.

ON HOLIDAY VISIT

SANTA ROSA—Luther Bookout, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bookout of this city, visited his family and friends here during the Thanksgiving holidays. Young Bookout is a student at the University of Texas

Valley Guest Honored

Miss Ruth McCormick of Houston has been much feted during her visit in Edinburg with her aunt, Mrs. Erin McAskill. Included in the round of hospitalities for the visitor have been events in Weslaco and other towns. (Kerr Studio.)

Miss Lucille Chandler, Jack Tebbe To Pledge Vows On December 27

(Picture Page One)

WESLACO — Mrs. M. H. Chandler entertained with a dinner Friday at seven o'clock at the Casa de Palmas in McAllen, announcing the engagement of her daughter, Lucille, and Jack Tebbe of Craig, Colo., son of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Tebbe of Harlingen. The bride-elect, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Chandler, is well-known in social circles of the upper and lower Valley.

Guests were greeted in the lounge of the hotel.

The honoree was charming in an afternoon frock of black silk, trimmed with black sequins.

The dinner table was strikingly lovely. Guests were seated at one large table laid in gold organdy which had an elaborate centerpiece of golden chrysanthemums. Radiating from the mass of blossoms were streamers attached to placeards which held a tiny gold wedding bell tied with white ribbons bearing the names of the affianced couple date lettered in gold and their nuptial date, December 27.

Guests included Mrs. Foster Tebbe of Harlingen, mother of the groom-elect, and Misses Billie Marion Parks, Margaret Ann Mitchell, Betty Frizell, Mary Louise Johnston, Dorothy Lee Drawe, Katie Rogers, Mary Louise Guenther, Millicant Yoder, Betty Compere, Ruth Miller, Maydeene King, Florence Jenkincs, LeLoi Williams and Pauline Marshall.

Mrs. Dixie Thrash and Mrs. Ben Wood, Harlingen; Mrs. James McElyea, Mercedes; Miss Ruth Hanuna, Gatesville, and Miss Janet Whitney, Fort Brown.

Misses Whitney, Hanna and Parks will be house guests at the Chandler home during the week end.

Weslaco Pair Hosts For Holiday Dinner

HARLINGEN—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wilson of Weslaco were hosts at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wilson, on the Combes highway Thursday evening for a Thanksgiving dinner.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Brooks, Mrs. Chastain, Neariol Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Filbert Engelbrecht and children, C. H. and Mary Lou, Janice Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wilson.

GOES TO MENARD

EDCOUCH — John Johnson, who spent the past several months at La Villa, left Tuesday for Menard where he will spend some time on a business trip.

Church Rites Read For Pair In McAllen

McALLEN — Witnessed only by a few friends, Miss Mabel Paschall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Paschall of Ardmore, Oklahoma, and Russ Carney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carney of Cuero, Texas, pledged their marriage vows Wednesday afternoon at 3 p.m. in the First Baptist church with Rev. H. W. Shirley officiating.

Poinsettias and lacy fern were used in decorating the church and formed a colorful background for the ceremony.

Before the vows were spoken organ music was played. The bride entered to the tune of Lohengrin's Wedding March. She was met at the altar by the groom.

The bride was dressed in a teal blue crepe frock with black accessories. She wore a beautiful orchid on her shoulder. Mrs. Edgar Martin, sister of the bride, was the only attendant. She also wore a dress of teal blue crepe while her corsage was of sweetheart roses. Joe Cannon was the best man.

Immediately after the ceremony the wedding party went to the future home of the bride and groom where a reception was held. Yellow chrysanthemums in a crystal bowl adorned the table. The decorated wedding cake was cut and served by the bride.

The young couple left at once for Austin where they will spend a brief honeymoon and attend the Texas-A. and M. football game after which they will return to McAllen where they will make their home. Mr. Carney is connected with the Sun Oil Company. He was graduated from the Cuero high school and from A. and M. College. The bride was graduated from the Ardmore high school.

Guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Elam, Mrs. C. E. Pratz, Misses Delana Polk, Emma Herzog, P. O. Geddie, Messers Harmon Teele and Harold Mulkey.

Family Views Game

EDCOUCH — Mr and Mrs. J. R. Wade, Aileen and J. R., Jr., left Wednesday night for Austin to attend the Texas-Aggie Thanksgiving game. Miss May Alice Gay accompanied them to Austin where to spend the holidays with relatives and Miss Mary Elizabeth Gilbert joined them in San Antonio. Howard Wade, a student at Texas A. and M. College, will return to the Valley with his family for the rest of the holidays.

Breakfast Is Jolly Affair

Mrs. John Fambrough is shown with her two sons, John (left) in his first year at school and Guy, age four, having breakfast in their pleasant home in Raymondville.

Games Party Notes Community Custom

MISSION—More than 50 persons attended the supper and games party which members of the Pastime Club planned Thursday evening at the Thanksgiving observance for residents of the Goodwin Tract and vicinity. Held at the Goodwin Lodge, the event was marked by a buffet supper and games of pinochle and bingo. The party continued an annual custom established several years ago.

Group Making Trip

LOS FRESNOS—Mrs. Hall Palmer, Miss Katheryn Holt and Miss Juanita Riney left Wednesday for points in North Texas. Mrs. Palmer will visit with her family near Belton and Miss Riney will continue to Denton where she will visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riney. Miss Holt will be a guest of friends and relatives in Waco and Center.

GO TO IOWA

SAN JUAN — Mr. and Mrs. Jas. C. Doedyns left Wednesday morning for points in Iowa, where they will attend to business matters.

MRS. RICE ILL

EDCOUCH — Mrs. Cara Rice who is quite ill was removed to the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. R. Hill on Tuesday morning.

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Review To Aid Britain Set Monday

EDINBURG—Mrs. Rogers Kelley will be presented in a benefit review Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the First Methodist church. The event is sponsored by Bundles for Britain, Incorporated.

Mrs. Kelley will review "The American Way," by Kaufman and Hart. The play enjoyed a long run in New York with Frederic March and his wife, Florence Eldridge, taking the leading roles.

A short outline of the work being accomplished by the Bundles for Britain groups over the country will be presented by Rev. J. C. Lovern, new pastor for the First Methodist church, preceding Mrs. Kelley's review.

Tickets may be purchased for 25 cents from any member of the sponsoring group or late Monday evening in the lobby of the Edinburg Hotel. Tickets will not be sold at the church door.

Bakers Visit

RIO HONDO — Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Baker of Noblesville, Indiana are spending several weeks in Rio Hondo.

MRS. HOUGH ILL

RIO HONDO — Mrs. A. T. Hough is confined to her bed because of illness.

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Sparkle For Autumn

Perfectly costumed for a brilliant evening, is this Valley style-wise matron who has chosen a lovely black crepe for formal dining and dancing. Gold sequins form the lapels and pockets. The sleeves are full and draped and the fullness in front flatters any figure. (Sketched by Bette Sample.)

Long Trail To Be Unique Over South

BROWNSVILLE—Commercial as well as aesthetic benefits to be expected from completion of the Valley's Bougainvillea Trail are pointed to by Mrs. Frank Davis, publicity chairman for the project for the Valley Garden Council.

This trail, when completed, will be the world's longest flower trail whose value will rank with the sport of fishing, hunting the citrus groves climate, as a drawing card for the tourists.

Several cities and towns throughout the United States reap a plentiful reward for flower shows and trails which though small in comparison with the Bougainvillea Trail, attract visitors from near and far each year.

A few of tnese well-known gardens and trails are the Tyler Rose Show which lasts for three days. The Galveston Oleander Week, Mobile's Azalea Trail and the famous Bellingrath Gardens. The Azaleas bloom only six weeks in early spring. Charleston is remembered for its beautiful magnolia gardens blooming in early summer. The Peach Blossom Week has designated Weatherford, Texas, as a "must" for tourists. Then we have the East Texas Dogwood Trail in the spring showing the native dogwood. The seventeen mile Crepe Myrtle trail in Savannah, Ga., was one of the longest until the Bougainvillea Trail was originated.

These trails and shows are of short duration in comparison to the Valley Bougainvillea Trail which blooms profusely from the first of October until April 1st, and some bloom the entire year. During the tourist season from November until February, the bougainvillea is at its height of beauty.

Chosen As Model In Weslaco Revue

PHARR—Miss Daisy Ellen Polk will be one of the models presented in the Weslaco Birthday Style Show December 12. She will be the representative of the Pharr Grammar School Parent-Teacher Association. She is instructor in music in the school.

Student Visits

DONNA — Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Webb are entertaining over the Thanksgiving holidays their son, John who arrived Wednesday morning from Texas Medical School in Galveston, their daughter, Martha, who teaches in Mercedes and Jack Wetzel of Waco, a senior in Baylor University.

Wed On Thanksgiving

Marriage of Miss Vearla Mae Keene, daughter of Mrs. Ima Keene, of Raymondville and Gayle Hedrick of Raymondville, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hedrick, took place Thanksgiving afternoon. The Rev. C. H. Riddle of Weslaco officiated. The couple will reside in Weslaco where Mr. Hedrick is employed by the water district. (Holbrook Studio.)

Officers Elected By Orquida Club

HARLINGEN — Officers of the Orquida Club were elected Tuesday at a regular meeting, 419 W. Van Buren, as follows:

Miss Jovita Valadez, president; Miss Josephine Quintamilla, vice president; Miss Cristella Loya, secretary; Miss Ernestina Longoria, sub-secretary; Miss Olga Lozano, treasurer; Miss Trine Pena, assistant treasurer; and Miss Dora Alvarez, reporter.

Jesuit missionaries who first went to Paraguay even taught Italian grand opera to the Indians.

ATTEND FUNERAL

SAN JUAN—Mr. and Mrs. Clay Everhard left Tuesday for Sarcoxie, Missouri, to attend the funeral of Mr. Everhard's mother, who passed away at Ariba, Colorado. A nephew of Mrs. Everhard was buried at Sarcoxie, Friday of last week.

Over Hundred Participate In Observance

SHARYLAND—A custom which has been observed for more than a quarter - century was continued Thursday when members of the Sharyland Community Club and their families gathered at the Wimodausis Clubhouse for a dinner and program patterned after the original Thanksgiving Day.

As the women members prepared the dinner, the men held their traditional horseshoe-pitching tournament. In charge of arrangements for the day's events were Mrs. E. M. Bradbury chairman, Mrs. P. J. Sweeney, Mrs. Sigel Olson, and Mrs. F. M. DeSart.

Rev. Allen G. Roe, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Mission, gave the Thanksgiving address, which was the program feature in the afternoon. Other numbers included vocal quartette selections by Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Trapp, Mrs. Otto Jensen and Albert Hildebrand; and a vocal duet group of Negro spirituals by Rev. and Mrs. Roe.

Approximately 125 members and guests attended the event.

Morning Hike Is Enjoyed By Group

McALLEN—A group of McAllen high school girls made good use of their Friday holiday by taking an early morning hike as far as the swimming pool where they fixed their lunch.

Among the girls were Rosemary Jones, Shirley Wiederhold, Jean Myatt, Nanelle Posey, Lillian Crist with Pauline Rigney, hostess for the event.

Yule Party Slated

DONNA — Tuesday afternoon the Wide Awake Home Demonstration Club met for a business session in the Club Women's Building. Detailed plans were made for the club's annual family Christmas dinner, December 19. After certain of the "lovegivers" had presented their gifts the hostesses, Mrs. I. B. Boyer and Mrs. O. C. Snell, Jr., served gingerbread, whipped cream and coffee to ten members and one guest, Mrs. W. W. Straeter.

Reception Friday Night Honoring Bridal Couple Has Attractive Setting

LA FERIA—Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Sommer entertained Friday evening with a large informal reception at their home to honor Mr. and Mrs. Norman M. Sommer of Los Fresnos whose marriage was an event of Friday, November 22. Mrs. Sommer is the former Miss Pauline Routon and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Routon of La Feria. Mr. Sommer is the son of the host couple.

The reception rooms were decorated with quantities of white chrysanthemums in pleasing arrangement.

The guest book was in charge of Miss Annette Dowd.

Guest list for the hospitality included about 150 friends of the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Sommer are residing at Los Fresnos where Mr. Sommer is a member of the school faculty. She attended Louisiana State University and Mr. Sommer, a graduate of Texas A. and I. college, Kingsville, has taken post graduate work at the University of Texas where he expects to receive his master's degree next summer.

Circle Chairmen For Year Announced

HARLINGEN—The devotional on Thanksgiving was given by Mrs. Van R. Wiggins at the meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service held Tuesday at the Methodist church. In presenting the topic "Thanksgiving," Mrs. Wiggins stressed five main forces in every life; namely, church, country, useful work, health, and friends.

New circle chairmen for the coming year were announced as follows: Mesdames F. H. Chiswell, C. W. Clift, Robert McNabney, Powell Baker, C. E. Thompson, and Ed Sandell.

Mrs. W. B. Pitts was appointed sponsor for the young matrons circle.

La Feria Guests From Pecan Gap

LA FERIA — Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cockrell and son, James, and James Sandlin of Pecan Gap, Texas, were Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Scoggins of La Feria.

Mrs. Cockrell and Mr. Scoggins are brother and sister and had not met in six years. The visitors were much impressed by their first visit in the Valley.

Dinner Is Today

ALAMO—There will be achicken dinner and party Sunday at 5 p. m. at St. John's church in Alamo. Everyone is invited.

Club Council Plans Quarterly Meeting

McALLEN — The Valley Child Study Club Council will hold its quarterly meeting at McAllen Wednesday, opening with a luncheon at 12:30 p.m. at the First Methodist Church.

An afternoon program will be presented with Mrs. Harold Brehm the feature speaker on "Christmas for Children in Other Countries." Mrs. Henry Erdmann is president of the local club.

City Federation Meeting Slated

McALLEN—The McAllen City Federation of Women's Clubs will meet December 3 at 9:30 a.m. at the First Methodist Church.

Hostess clubs will be the Child Study Club and the New Idea Club, featuring a program on the Bible. "Women of the Bible" will be the topic of the day.

Calendar

BROWNSVILLE

MONDAY

Beta Sigma Phi pledge meeting at 7:30 p.m. followed by regular session at 8 p.m. at the home of Miss Inez Brulay.

Executive board of the Presbyterian auxiliary at 3:30 p.m. at the church.

Shower for Pharr Institute at Methodist circle meetings at 3 p.m. as follows: one, Mrs. M. D. Council; two and three at the church; Young Matrons, Mrs. James Haywood; Lucy Rae, Mrs. C. H. Harden.

Episcopal Woman's Auxiliary at 3 p.m. at the parish house.

Christian Women's Council in circles for industrial day as follows: one, at church; two, Mrs. F. I. Bretz; three, Mrs. J. M. George; four, Mrs. Herman Loop.

Hope Chapter 124, O.E.S., at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple.

TUESDAY

Athenian Club with Mrs. Paul Ellington.

Treble Clef with Mrs. A. B. Brown.

Evening circle of the Presbyterian Church at 8 p.m. with Miss Bertha Leonard.

WEDNESDAY

Penny supper at the Central Christian Church.

Self-Culture Club with Mrs. V. L. Conrad.

Wednesday Evening Bridge Club with Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Stephens.

Wednesday Study lub with Mrs. G. E. Lauver.

THURSDAY

High school and junior high school P.-T. A. at 3:30 p.m. in room 209 in the school.

Magruder-Ford chapter of the UDC at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Fanny D. Putegnat.

Olmito Modern Priscilla Club with Mrs. Wilbur Dickenson.

Alpha Study Club at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. R. A. Hightower.

Thursday Evening Bridge Club with Mr. and Mrs. John Dutro.

Junior Self-Culture Club with Mrs. Frank Mathers at the Randall Mathers home.

Mexican supper benefit for Bundles for Britain between 5 and 8 p.m. at the Central Christian Church.

One-man art exhibit by Mrs. Si D. Ray, and tea between 3 and 5 p.m. at the Chamber of Commerce by the Brownsville Art League.

FRIDAY

Literature and Arts Review Club with Mrs. F. W. Hofmokel at 9:30 a.m.

Bazaar by the Young Matrons and Lucy Rae circle in front of the J. C. Penney Company store.

Pan American Round Table luncheon and program at 1 p.m. at El Jardin Hotel.

SATURDAY

Christmas party for members of the Ft. Brown chapter, Daughters of the Texas Republic at 3 p.m. with Mrs. L. K. Morris.

Chairman

Mrs. J. S. McManus is director for the Doll Buggy and Pet Parade to be held Friday afternoon as a feature of the annual Weslaco Birthday party.

Music Students At T.S.C.W. Honored

MISSION—Two Mission girls who are attending T.S.C.W. at Denton, will participate in the Silver Jubilee of the music department of the college, December 9. Miss Verna Beaver and Miss Helen Card are members of the choral and symphony units, respectively, of the music department.

Miss Card, a freshman student, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Card. Miss Beaver is the daughter of Mrs. Jack Collins. A sophomore student, Miss Beaver plays the oboe in the symphony concert which will climax the music celebration.

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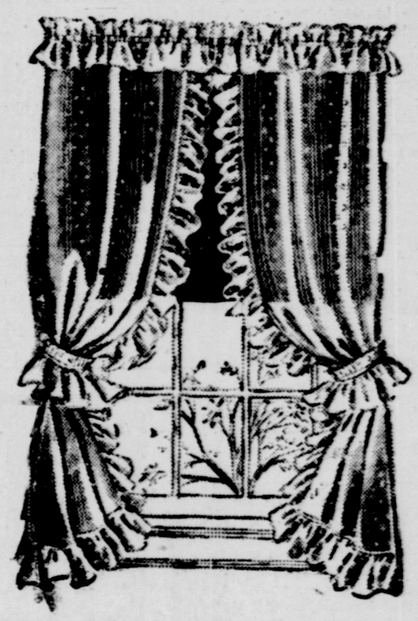

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Mrs. Geo. Fleming Hostess For Club

PHARR — Mrs. George B. Fleming, Sr., was hostess to her bridge club Tuesday afternoon.

Yellow chrysanthemums were used for decoration.

High score trophy was awarded to Mrs. Marvin Evans. Refreshments at conclusion of the delightful affair to Mesdames T. A. Wall, Stanley T. Melton, Marvin Evans, K. J. Scott, A. A. Kelley, Roy Barnes, E. C. White, and Bryce Ferguson.

Go To Austin

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wiech, and Mr. and Mrs. William Scanlan departed for Austin where they attended the Texas-A. and M. game.

MAKES HOLIDAY VISIT

DONNA — Miss Sally Weaver of Donna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weaver is spending the Thanksgiving holidays in Houston and Port Arthur.

GUESTS FROM WACO

MISSION—Guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Nethery for the past week were the former's niece, Mrs. J. S. Dumas, and Mrs. Nethery's sister, Mrs. Adah Bee Henderson, both of Waco.

Browns Arrive

BROWNSVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, Sr., of Corpus Christi are guests of their son, William Brown, Jr., and Mrs. Brown. The two arrived for the Thanksgiving wedding of their son, R. E. Brown and Miss Elsie Hahn of Harlingen.

HARLINGEN—Miss Mary Elizabeth Challes is spending the weekend in Austin with friends and attended the Texas-A. and M. football game.

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Weslaco Couple Wed 50 Years To Be Honored By Hospitality Today

WESLACO — An affair of wide interest will be the reception this afternoon given to honor Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy Scott in recognition of their golden wedding anniversary which will be reached December 11, 1940. The event is being given by members of the Llano Grande Home Demonstration club, with Mrs. H. J. Allen, president, and Mrs. W. A. Black as hostess, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McBride.

Exquisite arrangements of gold and white chrysanthemums in gold and white bowls have been chosen to decorate the home.

Receiving the guests will be Mr. and Mrs. McBride, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kidwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Scott.

Mrs. Paul Thompson is to be in charge of the guest book, an attractive booklet designed and made by Mrs. J. L. Roberts, as a gift to the honored couple. Each guest is to receive a boutonniere reflecting the gold theme.

The gold and white colors are repeated in the lace laid refreshment table which has a gorgeous arrangement of gold and white chrysanthemums, with a miniature bridal couple. Presiding at the board will be Mrs. L. W. Cross and Mrs. H. B. an Vlewt, both club members who have celebrated their golden weddings.

A delightful musical program is to be presented during the reception hours, from three to five o'clock.

The couple was married December 11, 1890 at St. Ansgar, Iowa by the Rev. A. A. Thayer. Mrs. Scott was born during the Civil War at Rio, Wisconsin 76 years ago, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bundy. Her father did not see her until she had ridden to Iowa on her mother's lap in a covered wagon driven by her uncle.

Mr. Scott, who is 81, also was born near Rio, Wisconsin but did not go to Iowa until several years later. It was there that they became acquainted.

The couple bought land in Weslaco in 1919 and spent their first winter here in 1935. In 1937 they moved here to make their home.

The couple has two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Merwin, Maplewood, N. J., and Mrs. W. L. Kidwell of Weslaco.

RETURN TO COLLEGE

RIO HONDO — Miss Betty Hodgkin, Miss Margaret Bullis, and Dewey Burglund, and Fred Roiz, Jr., returned to college Sunday after Thanksgiving holidays.

FAMILY REUNITED

DONNA — Mr. and Mrs. Truax and family went up to Austin for the Texas-A. and M. game played in Austin on Thursday, where they met their son, Bruce, who is a student at A. and M. and brought him home after the game for the remainder of the holidays.

Valley Beautiful

Freeze Protection

By GEORGE H. PLETCHER, Jr.

BANKING THE SOIL high into the branches of young shrubs in early fall and leaving it till spring is the best way to prevent the loss of your plants by freezing. If the plants are well banked a good freeze is usually very beneficial to most plants, as it forces lazy and inexperienced gardeners to remove frozen wood back to soil bank, which in many cases is too old to bloom. Large shoots of fresh new wod is formed and an abundance of flowers follow.

In some of the finer yards smudge pots are used with good results. Protection of flowers and shrubs from white frost can be done by thoroughly irrigating the flower beds and shrubs the night before the cold.

A sprinkler throwing a light mist over a favorite shrub grouping of flower bed during the frost time will give 100 per cent protection. The sprinkler should usually run from about 3:00 a. m. till sun up. Burlap bags or newspapers are good frost protection. Irrigation, sprinkling and covering are good protection from frost but for freeze loss (or temperature below 32 degrees) banking or smudges are necessary.

NEXT WEEK: Fertilizing Your Annuals.

Guests In Donna Are Being Feted

DONNA — Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Puryear had as their Thanksgiving guests Mr. Puryear's mother, Mrs. Laura Puryear, and his sister Miss Annie Glenn Puryear both of Memphis. Mrs. Puryear and her daughter are enjoying many charming informal hospitalities during their fortnight's stay. Thursday was spent by the entire family with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Puryear, Jr., and Douglas III, in McAllen.

NOTICE

Copy for Brownsville society articles was lost in transit this week. Stories which were reported but fail to appear in today's Star-Monitor-Herald will be carried in The Brownsville Herald Monday afternoon.

Hobby Group Aids Red Cross Sewing; Plans Gift Basket

HARLINGEN — Chrysanthemums from the hostess' garden in colors of orchid and white were used for decoration Wednesday when Mrs. J. B. Lankford entertained the Hobby Group at her home on West Pierce. A delicious luncheon was served at one o'clock.

Prizes in a Thanksgiving menu game were awarded to Mrs. Charles Blakeney and Mrs. J. B. Bradford.

Plans were made for a shower of canned goods to be used to fill a Christmas basket for a needy family.

Mrs. N. B. Lackland announced that the bougainvillea shrub purchased by the Hobby Group, has been planted on the grave of the founder and sponsor of the group, the late Mrs. W. H. Hall.

The afternoon was spent in sewing for the Red Cross.

Present were Mesdames N. B. Lackland, J. B. Bradford, H. M. Dunaway, J. B. Sanders, A. B. Ewing, Tom Bowman, Charles Blakney, Ivan Hamilton, and A. L. Hamilton, members, and Mrs. W. M. Driskill and Mrs. J. B. Moore, guests.

O.E.S. Chapter To Fill Basket

HARLINGEN—Eastern Star members will fill a Christmas basket for a needy family instead of staging their usual gift exchange this season, it was decided Thursday night at the regular meeting at the Masonic Hall. Each member is asked to take an article of canned goods or other food.

Invitation was extended to chapters of Brownsville, Mercedes, and Weslaco to meet with the Harlingen chapter December 12.

Mrs. Josephine Barron, past worthy matron from Georgetown, was a special guest.

Mrs. Mary J. Bowers, worthy matron, had charge of the meeting.

Military note: Dresses with epaulettes now are being sold.

Heads Edinburg Rainbows

Miss Marjorie Bonner recently was installed as worthy advisor for the Edinburg chapter of the Order of the Rainbow for Girls. Miss Bonner, a favorite with the younger college set, is a student at Edinburg Junior College and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bonner of Edinburg. (Kerr Studio)

Aggies Arriving

DONNA — Donna students drifting in from A. and M. for the Thanksgiving recess, Duane Martin, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lillard Martin arrived on Wednesday morning. Truman Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Cox also of Donna arrived on Wednesday morning too. Virgil Kennedy a member of the A. and M. Band arrived early Friday morning, staying in Austin for the game on Thursday.

ATTEND GAME

MISSION—Among Mission people who were in Austin this weekend to attend the football game were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brune, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McHenry, Mrs. Gladys Pratz, W. E. Wood, A. F. Volz, Walter Volz, T. B. Hoffer, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Braden, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dooley, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Buescher.

Cromacks Depart

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. F. Davis Cromack and her young son, Dan, have joined Mr. Cromack in San Antonio to make their home.

WEDDING FRIDAY

RIO HONDO — Miss Elizabeth Gardner, of Dallas, and Mr. Doyle Parmer motored to Dallas where they were to be married November 29.

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Mercedes Girls To Appear In Pageants

MERCEDES—Two popular Mercedes girls will represent their home town in Valley pageants within the next few weeks.

Miss Jo Ella Baumgart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Baumgart, will represent Mercedes as one of the bridesmaids in the Bougainvillea Pageant during the Dia Grande celebration at Donna on March 6.

Miss Charlene Avant will model the Mercedes costume in the colorful Weslaco Birthday Style Show on December 11 and 12. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Avant. Mercedes entry in the costume pageant will be sponsored by the Mercedes Business and Professional Womens Club.

ON HOLIDAY VISIT

LOS FRESNOS—Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Parrish are spending the Thanksgiving holidays in Corpus Christi and San Antonio.

How One Woman Lost 20 lbs. of Fat
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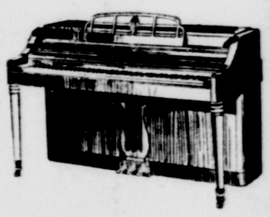

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2. BUSINESS OPPOR.

2a. Business for Sale

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6. EMPLOYMENT

6a. Help Wanted—Male

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RELIABLE MAN take care store route. New plan of distribution. No selling. Earn excellent weekly income. B. and W. Nut Co., St. Paul, Minn.

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6b. Help Wanted—Female

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217 Embee Bldg. Phone 414
Harlingen

9b. Auto Loans

$5 to $300
ON YOUR AUTO
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Refinancing—Longer Terms
Smaller Payments
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Refinancing
General Insurance
M. Bailey
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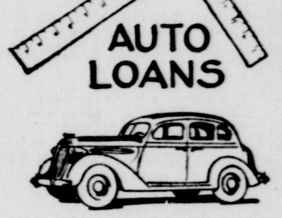

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AUTO LOANS
GENERAL INSURANCE
Phone 1320 Harlingen
Over First National Bank

9c. Personal Loans

We Have
$10,000 AVAILABLE
for CHRISTMAS LOANS
We specialize in quick loans to employed men and women, married or single.
We don't care whom you owe or what you want the money for, the loan can be arranged in just a few minutes. Call at our office or just phone 82.
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Phone 1062
McAllen

10. FOR SALE

10a. Household Goods

KELVINATOR washer, 9 sheet capacity, used 10 months, cost $86.50, less than half price. Call 18, Harlingen.

FOR SALE: Child's desk and swivel chair. Mrs. A. H. Kammer, Donna, Texas.

FOR SALE: Studio couch, like new, made to order. Phone 298-J, Mercedes, or write Box 35, Mercedes.

10. FOR SALE

10a. Household Goods

Used Washing Machine
Gasoline Powered
Briggs & Stratton Motor
ONLY $45
or $1.00 per week
TOM STEVENSON
428 - 13th St. Phone 222
Brownsville

10c. For Sale, Misc.

FOR SALE: Good 2-cylinder Harley-Davidson motorcycle, $65.00. 851 SE Washington, phone 574, Brownsville.

FRESH LOAD of sweet potatoes, $1.15 bushel; apples, $1.25; pecans, 25c per pound. C. and M. Market 2 blocks west of Four Corners, Harlingen.

10e. Radio Repairs, Equip.

RADIO SERVICE: Free inspection, satisfaction guaranteed. Phil Ambler, 2123 17th street, Victoria Heights, phone 178, Brownsville.

10g. Feed and Fuel

ABOUT 100 BUSHELS of good corn for sale. One-half mile north McColl road, McAllen. C. McNallie.

10h. Machinery, Equipment

We Have
New and Used
TRACTOR PARTS
For All Makes and Models
At Big Savings
LEHMAN'S
Across from Sears Phone 1160

11. LIVESTOCK

11a. Dogs, Cats, Pets

FOR SALE: Order a pair of Love Birds for Christmas. All colors. $3.00 a pair. Mrs. A. H. Kammer, Donna, Texas.

FOR SALE: Registered Chows, two months old, sired by Ping Pong. Dr. Mary Headley-Edgerton, Rio Grande City, Texas.

CHIHUAHUA PUPPIES for sale. Small males at stud. H. A. Pate, 1½ miles North Alamo road, Alamo, Texas.

11b. Horses, Cattle

FOR SALE: Pair of work mules. Mrs. Simmons, White Ranch road, ½ mile south Combes Hiway.

DAIRY AUCTION
COMING SOON
Watch this paper for one of the biggest and best dairy sales in the Valley.
Selling beautiful home, entire dairy and equipment, 100 cattle. Complete sell-out.
PARKER AUCTION CO.
Harlingen

11c. Poultry Supplies

FOR SALE: Our high quality baby chicks Tuesdays and Fridays. Also started chicks. Fisher Poultry Farm and Hatchery, Raymondville.

Started Chicks
Two-Three & Four Weeks Old
CUSTOM GRINDING AND MIXING
F. G. Jackson
FEED STORE
119 No. Commerce Harlingen

11e Auctions

LIVESTOCK AUCTION
Every Thursday 10:30. Livestock at this sale is selling very satisfactory to buyers and sellers. Have sold over 700 white-face Hereford feeding calves, will have 65 more Thursday. Good demand for butcher hogs and cattle, milk cows are on the upgrade and all classes steady. Consignors get your offering in early Thursday—the buyers will be here.
PARKER'S SALES YARD
Harlingen

12. WANTED TO BUY

12a. Miscellaneous

WANTED: Cafe fixtures and equipment, part or all cash. P. O. Box 709, Harlingen.

WANTED: Wagon platform scales, 14 or 16 ft., must be in good shape for cash. P. O. Box 709, Harlingen.

10. FOR SALE

10a. Household Goods

Private and Auction Sale

Liquidating the $5,000 Stock of Furniture and Household Goods of the
Home Furniture Company
209 No. Commerce Street in Harlingen
Estate of Fred Hoch, Deceased

OPEN FOR BUSINESS MONDAY MORNING, DEC. 2nd to THURSDAY AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES

The All Unsold Goods Will Be Sold At Auction Friday Afternoon and Evening, Saturday Afternoon and Evening and Continuing Until Every Article Is Sold.

Here you will find a wonderful opportunity to purchase at unheard of prices and at your own bid, beautiful Bedroom Suites, Dining Suites, Living Room Suites, Dressers, Chests of Drawers, Highboys, Beds, Springs, Mattresses, Pillows, Baby Beds, Stoves, Ranges, Heaters, Rockers, Occasional Chairs, Daybeds Studio Couches, Davenoles, Kitchen Equipment, 150 Rugs and Floor Coverings and 1000 other new and used articles in a well balanced stock.

Valley folks, here is your opportunity . . . our orders are to SELL WITHOUT RESERVE. Come and get your selections early.

PARKER AUCTION CO., Mgrs.
Col. R. S. Parker, auctioneer Spud Parker, clerk

12. WANTED TO BUY

12a. Miscellaneous

WILL PAY cash for old style Letter Press. Phone 123. B. I. Martin.

WE BUY CORN
TRY
GRIMSELL
POULTRY FEEDS
DAIRY RATION
Mfg By
FRANK GRIMSELL
SEED CO.

13. LOST & FOUND

LOST: Pair of spurs at Arroyo Rodeo Arena. Finder please return to Charlie Whitney at the Valley Morning Star office for reward.

LOST: Saturday, man's leather jacket. Return to 110½ East Jackson, Harlingen, for reward. Mrs. E. W. Smith.

LOST: Billfold, containing important papers valuable to owner. G. H. Meyer, Port Isabel. Return to Brownsville Herald, Brownsville.

LOST: Scottie, black, male. Reward for return. Captain Hoy, Fort Brown, Brownsville.

14. RENTALS

14a. Apartments

FOR RENT—PROPERTY see Mrs. Ethel Parker, 109 W. Van Buren, phone 1128, Harlingen.

3 ROOM FURNISHED apartments. Electric Refrigeration, linens and utilities furnished Rio Grande Courts. Harlingen

FURNISHED BEDROOM: Innerspring mattress, kitchenette, garage, bills paid. Call at back 506 E. Harrison.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED apartments, houses. Desirable bedrooms. Listings appreciated. Mrs. J. L. Swann, phone 1169-W Harlingen.

LOVELY GUEST COTTAGE for two adults. Phone 867, Harlingen.

NICE APARTMENT and bedroonis, private bath. Innerspring mattress. bills paid. $3 to $6 weekly. 318 E. Polk, Harlingen.

APARTMENT, unfurnished, five rooms. 900 Southeast Elizabeth, block from Postoffice, $18.00. Carlos G. Watson, Brownsville.

TWO-ROOM apartment, furnished downstairs. Reasonable. Close in. 422 Southeast Levee, phone 578, Brownsville.

NICELY FURNISHED apartments, moderately priced, close in. Utilities paid. Nel-Roy, phone 642. Glenwood, phone 1512, Brownsville.

ALONSO: Nicely furnished apartments, corner Sixth and Levee. Phone 734, Mrs. Egbert, 934 East St. Charles, Brownsville.

THREE-ROOM garage apartment, furnished, reasonable. Close in. 442 Southeast Levee, or phone 578, Brownsville.

DOWNTOWN FURNISHED apartments. Newly decorated. Electrical refrigeration. All utilities paid. 1140 Washington St. Telephone 866. Philen Shipping Co., Brownsville.

14b. Rooms

FOR RENT: Close in, utility room. southeast exposure, bills paid. 301 E. Polk, Harlingen.

BACHELORS DEN: Clean, modern rooms by day or weekly rates. Phone 1314-W. 513 North First, Harlingen.

DESIRABLE SOUTHEAST room, connecting bath, private entrance, refined home. Breakfast if desired. Phone 1399-J, Harlingen.

14c. Houses

FOR PENT: 6-room furnished house at 722 East Pierce. Inquire at 310 South 5th, Harlingen.

FOR RENT in Combes: Five-room house, completely modern. Call Patty Flumbing Co., 644, Hgn.

FOR RENT: 5 room brick house, double garage. 1213 E. Polk, phone or see R. M. (Dick) Loving, Harlingen.

SEVEN-ROOM cottage, modern. Electric stove, hot water heater, refrigerator. Fruit for family use. Garage. Permanent. Three miles out 14th street. Also modern, five-room garage apartment. A. C. Capron, El Jardin Hotel, Brownsville.

TWO-STORY unfurnished house. Electric lights, $12.50. Stuart Place. Inquire Helen's Fruit Stand, Harlingen.

SIX-ROOM brick house, 1222 East Harrison, $27.50. Water furnished. Phone Mrs. Dalager, 85, Harlingen.

HOUSE, furnished, six rooms. $50.00. 110 Avenue A, Riverside. Carlos G. Watson, Brownsville.

SIX-ROOM, well furnished house, a real home. Electrical refrigeration, hot water heater. Call 964, Brownsville.

14d. Room and Board

ROOM AND BOARD: Bachelors' Den, good family style meals. Modern rooms, phone 1314-W, Harlingen. 513 North First.

15. WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT: Unfurnished 5-room house in McAllen. Must be good neighborhood, first class condition. Phone Mr. Enfield, Monday. Mission, 230.

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

ATTRACTIVE, freshly painted six-room modern home, large yard, shrubbery, easy terms. 1110 E Madison, Harlingen. Phone 1121 or 1097-R.

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

FOR SALE: Seven acres, 5-room modern cottage, good outbuildings, stock and chickens included. $2,750.00. Terms. By owner, 1 mile north on Sugar road and Kansas avenue, McAllen.

HOME, seven-room brick veneer. Open for inspection from 10 a.m. to 4 p. m. Can vacate immediately. Restricted neighborhood. Terms if desired. For information phone 1174-J. 1217 East Taylor, Harlingen.

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Efficient Property Management, Groves, Farms, City Property, Loans, Insurance, Rentals.
6½ S. Main St., 2nd Floor
PHONE 860 McALLEN

16b. Lots for Sale

2 LOTS, 50x150 FEET, original townsite, North McAllen. Write Box 114, Edinburg.

Money Talks

$450.00 buys good lot on Ebony drive in Los Ebanos.

$1,500.00 buys good business lot on Elizabeth Street.

$4,000.00 buys large 2-story, 3-bedroom home in Los Ebanos with breakfast room, screened in back porch and double garage.

$17,500.00 buys one of the best business corners in Brownsville with building 50 x 120 feet. Rentals now $210.00 per month.

S. C. GRAHAM & CO.
REALTORS
Phone 179 Marine Arcade Bldg.
Brownsville

16c. Farms, Ranches

FOR SALE or will trade for acreage near Harlingen, modern five room brick home in Harlingen. Inquire 722 E. Filmore, Harlingen.

FOR SALE 40 acres with 12 year old Grapefruit and orange trees. One mile Southwest of Santa Rosa, Rabb Road. Price set at a minimum. Christiansen Bros.

A BACHELOR, five miles south La Feria on pavement, has 40 acres fine land for sale. Small boxed house, new hay barn and other buildings. Alfalfa, carrots, spinach and cabbage. Farmall on rubber and equipment, all included for $4,000.00 cash. Clear, he is John Gibson.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: 40-acre grove in Edinburg. 9-year-old trees, by owner. Phone 1174-J, Harlingen.

10-ACRE TRACT: 2 acres in bearing orchard. One mile south of highway on Alta Palmas road. Priced right. Phone 1174-J, Harlingen.

FOR SALE
Ranches, Dry Land Farms
Irrigated Farms
Lake Front Homesites
LLOYD PARKER
OLMITO, TEXAS

Up And Up—
Down And Down

That is the way values went from 1920 to 1930. Then down and down from 1930 to 1940. Now, what? Well, you just watch and see. Land from $300 to $500 per acre and plenty of buyers in 1930. Only a few in 1940. Plenty of good land, yes, that $400 to $500 per acre land today can be bought from $40 to $60 per acre. You know the answer.

100 ACRES fine black sandy loam soil, Willacy county. Only $50 per acre. In cultivation. $10 per acre cash, balance terms. Let the rent pay the balance.

Beautiful 10-acre grove marsh pinks and oranges. Choice location, Adams Grdens, only $250 per acre.

5 acres beautiful grove, only $1,250 for all.

20 acres, all in beautiful grove with large six-room modern home on paved highway. Just three miles from Harlingen. Folks, this is a real bargain, all for $10,500. Just half of what it should sell for.

40 acres good land on pavement close in. Cheap house. It's a steal for $50 per acre. Only $5 per acre cash.

50 acres dry land in Willacy county, all in cultivation. It's a steal. Just think, only $40 per acre. $5 per acre cash payment.

5 acres close in on pavement Ideal for FHA home. Only $650, $15 cash, $15 per month.

6 acres, with store building, residence and stock of merchandise in Rangerville. Only $2,500 for all. Your business opportunity.

We solicit your listings in or near Harlingen.

Just call 139
Willingham Realty
Harlingen

16g. Wanted to Buy

HOUSE AND LOT or house and small acreage near Harlingen, for cash. Box 805, Harlingen.

16i. Land for Trade

PLEASANT SURPRISES: 1500 acres pasture land for sale, fronting about three miles concrete highway, 13 miles Brownsville. No improvements, $7.50 acre. T. J. Clay, Northwest 13th St., opposite City Power Plant, Brownsville.

17. NOTICES

17d Professional Notices

DR. D. C. ROUGEOU
DENTIST
209-210 Baxter Bldg.
HARLINGEN, TEXAS
Telephone—Harlingen 1467

DR. E. C. HERRON
D.C., Ph. D.,
—Chiropractor—
902 Beech Ave.
1 Blk. North of R. R.
4 Blks. E. of Main — McAllen

17e. Travel Opportunities

McALLEN REYNOSA BUS LINE

McALLEN to REYNOSA	
8:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
10:00 A.M.	4:00 P.M.
12:00 A.M.	6:00 P.M.
	8:00 P.M.
Saturday and Sunday	11:00 P.M.
REYNOSA to McALLEN	
7:50 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
9:00 A.M.	3:00 P.M.
11:00 A.M.	5.00 P.M.
	7:00 P.M.
Saturday and Sunday	11:30 P.M.

17f. Cafe and Hotels

$3.00 PER WEEK
OPEN
GUEST LAUNDRY FREE
MILNER HOTEL
16th & Levee Phone 481
Brownsville

LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Salable hogs 500; total 2,500; not enough strictly good and choice hogs on sale to tesa conditions; few small lots 225-275 lb butchers 6.00-05; about steady; quotable top around 6.10; shippers took none; holdovers 500; compared week ago: good and choice barrows and gilts 160 lbs up 10-20 lower; packing sows mostly 35-45 off.

Salable cattle 300; calves 100; compared Friday last week: choice medium weight and weighty fed steers strong to 25 higher; all grades yearlings steady; medium to average-good grade shortfed medium weight and weighty steers fully 25 lower, instances more on dull close. extreme top on commercial steers 15.00, new high on crop; strictly prime international show "rejects" reached 16.00, about 60 loads selling at 14.25-15.25 mostly, with best light yearlings at 15.50; largely 9.75-14.00 trade on commercially fed steers, long yearlings making 14.40 and light yearlings 14.00; strictly good and choice fed heifers 50-75 higher, prime offering, reaching 13.25 and choice 12.65; common and medium kinds little changed; cows 25-50 higher, with cutters and common beef cows up most; bulls steady, and vealers 50-75 up, closing at 10.50-11.50.

Salable sheep 500; total 1,500; late Friday: mostly steady, new late sales weak; bulk good to choice native and fed western lambs 9.40-9.65, top 9.65; load 111 lbs Colorado 9.25; good to choice 104 lbs summer shorn fed lambs 8.25; compared Friday last week: mostly steady except shorn lambs fully 25 lower; week's extreme top fat lambs 9.70, closing limit 9.65, bulk good to choice native and fed western lambs scaling up to 103 lbs 9.40-9.65, load choice 111 lbs Colorados late 9.25, medium to good handweight lambs 9.00-9.25, common natives down to 7.00; good to choice shorn and medium-pelt fed lambs 8.25-8.60; yearlings 7.50-8.65, load largely choice 90 lbs weights at 8.65; native slaughter ewes 2.75-4.50; range and comeback feeding lambs mainly 9.00-9.25, few 8.75 down.

KANSAS LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Hogs salable 50, total 50, not enough offered to test values; market nominally steady; for week: Slaughter hogs mostly 25 lower; late top 5.75; packing sows 15 to 25 lower.

Cattle salable 50, total 250; no calves; for week: good to choice fed steers and yearlings strong to 25 higher; medium short feds weak; good to choice heifers and low grade cows steady to strong; other she stock steady to 25 lower; bulls strong to 15 higher; vealers 50 higher; stocker and feeder classes generally steady to strong; week's tops choice yearling steers 13.25; choice heifers 12.35; vealers 11.00; stockers 10.25; stock steer calves 10.50; bulk medium and good fed steers 8.50-11.75.

Sheep salable and total none; for week: sheep strong to 10 higher; lambs 15 to 25 lower; week's top native lambs 9.50; many shipments fed lambs and wheat pasture arrivals 9.25-40; closing top 9.25; best natives 9.00; fed shorn lambs 8.25-50; shorn yearlings late 6.85; top ewes 4.35; others 3.50-4.25; feeding lambs mostly 8.25-85; fleshy kinds upward to 9.25.

OKLAHOMA LIVESTOCK

OKLAHOMA CITY—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle salable and total 25; calves 15; for the week, beef steers and yearlings steady to 25 higher; heifers shared the upturn on yearlings; cows, canners and cutters 25-50 higher; bulls steady; vealers little changed; slaughter calves strong to 25 higher; stocker selling weak; spots 25 lower; week's prices, practical top 11.50 paid for 897 lbs. yearlings; odd head choice steers up to 13.25; liberal quota good steers and yearlings 10.00, 10.25 and 10.50; medium and good short feds 8.50-9.55; plain quality warmed up steers 7.25-8.00; light heifers to 10.00; beef cows 5.50-7.00; canners and cutters 3.50-5.00; bulls 5.00-6.25; vealer top 10.00; calves 5.00-9.00; stockers mostly 6.00-9.00.

Hogs salable 150, total 1,300; cleanup trade for packers at prices 5.10 lower; top 5.75; most sales 190-270 lbs. butchers 5.66-75; lighter weights on down to 5.25 and below; odd sows 5.25; for the week butcher hogs 10-25 lower; closing at the full decline; packing sows 25—mostly 50 lower.

Sheep salable and total 25; for the week, fat lambs 25 higher, top 8.75; most good and choice lots 8.50-75; throwouts down to 7.00; clipped lambs down to 7.50; fat ewes 3.00-50.

TEXAS LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle, salable and total 300; Saturday's trade nominal. Compared close last week: practically all classes of cattle 15-25c higher, calves steady; top mature beef steers 10.50, yearlings 10.25, heifers 10.00, practical top beef cows 6.25, cutters downward from 4.25; bulls up to 6.00; few killing calves over 8.50; best stock steer calves 10.25, stock heifer calves 9.00, yearling stock steers 9.00, stock cows 6.25.

Hogs, salable 400, total 800; around 10-20c lower than Friday's average; top 6.00 paid for most good and choice 190-300 lb averages; city butchers not buying good 150 lb weights down to 5.25; packing sows steady at 5.00-50. Compared with week ago, good butchers mostly 25c lower.

Sheep, salable and total 50; Saturday's trade nominal. Compared with last week's close: Fat lambs and feeders strong to 25c higher; other classes steady; bulk medium to good wooled fat lambs 8.00-50; top choice lambs 9.00; summer shorn lambs up to 8.00; wooled yearlings 7.50 down and shorn yearlings mostly 6.50 down; fall shorn yearlings 6.75, wooled two-year-old wethers 6.50 down and shorn aged 5.50; wooled aged wethers 4.50-5.00; shorn aged wethers 3.50-4.00; wooled ewes up to 3.75; feeder lambs 6.50-7.50.

BOSTON WOOL

BOSTON—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—The Boston wool market was mostly very slow during the past week. Only scattered small sales were closed on domestic wools and demand for South American wools showed a considerable slackening in volume compared with activitees during the first three weeks of November. Quotations were steady on western grown domestic wools while small quantities of fleeces were occasionally slightly easier. Graded combing bright fleece wools were quoted, grease basis, at 45-46 cents for fine Delaine, 44-45 cents for half bloods and 43-47 cents for three eighths and quarter bloods.

DAY'S NEWS OF NATION'S MARKETS

By FREDERICK GARDNER

NEW YORK—(AP)—While the stock market ended the month and the week with sizable net losses, buying of steels and selected industrials in Saturday's brief session gave the list a moderate recovery tinge.

Prices edged forward at the start, then faltered and came back. Gains of fractions to a point or so were retained by favorites.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks tacked on an advance of .2 of a point at 44 but on the week was off .4.

Transfers of 335,580 shares compared with 241,060 last Saturday.

The day's improvement was attributed partly to the idea of some analysts the market was "oversold. Other bullish items included word that steel mill operations in the Pittsburgh district next week would hit a new high and that last week's department store sales continued their year to year expansion.

Tax worries, as a market factor, were assuaged somewhat by announcement from Washington that no new imposts would be levied retroactive on 1940 income.

Among the better performing shares were U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, Montgomery Ward, Douglas Aircraft, American Telephone, Anaconda, Westinghouse, Du Pont, Dow Chemical, International Paper preferred, N. Y. Shipbuilding and Loew's.

NEW YORK—(AP)—
Stocks steady; steels lead selective comeback.

Bonds mixed; rails, utilities selectively bought.

Foreign Exchange quiet; Argentine peso rises.

Cotton irregular; trade, Bombay buying and hedging.

Sugar improved; covering, new buying.

Metals dull; export copper in light demand.

Wool tops uneven; December liquidation; trade and commission house support.

CHICAGO—
Wheat higher; some buying attributed to mills.

Corn unsettled; spot market weakness. Cattle steady; large receipts this week. Hogs about steady; quotable top $6.10.

STOCK LIST

Am M&Fdy	5	12½	12⅜	12½
Am Roll Mill	13	15?	15⅛	15⅜
Am Smelt&R	15	45⅜	44¼	45⅛
Am Tel&Tel	5	166½	166	166½
Anaconda	64	27⅜	27	27⅜
ATSF	6	17½	17¼	17⅜
Aviation Corp	6	4⅜	4¼	4⅜
Barnsdall	3	9⅜	9⅛	9⅛
Bendix	6	32½	32¼	32¼
Beth Stl	30	86⅜	85¾	86¾
Borden Co	1	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜
Budd Wheel	2	6¾	6¾	6¾
Chan Z-Lead	1	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
Case J I	1	61	61	61
Certainteed	4	5¼	5	5⅛
Chrysler	27	76¾	76	76½
Colum G&El	10	4⅜	4½	4⅜
Consol Oil	4	6	5⅞	6
Cont Can	6	37⅛	37	37¼
Cont Oil Del	7	19½	19¼	19½
Corn Prods	5	42¼	42	42¼
Curtiss Wri	39	9¼	9	9⅛
Douglas Aire	7	79½	77¾	79½
El Pow&Lt	16	4⅛	4	4⅛
Freeport Sulph	2	37⅛	36⅞	36⅞
Gen Elec	22	33¼	32⅝	32⅝
Gen Foods	5	35	34½	34½
Gen Motors	18	49⅞	49⅜	49⅞
Goodrich	6	14½	14⅜	14½
Goodyear	5	17⅝	17⅜	17⅝
Gt Nor Ir Ore	17	17½	17⅜	17½
Greyhound	1	11	11	11
Houston Oil	2	4½	4⅜	4½
Hudson Mot	2	4⅜	4¼	4⅜
Int Harv	5	55	54⅝	54⅝
Int Hyd El A	12	2	2	2
Kennecott	20	35	34¾	34¾
Loews Inc	23	30⅛	29¾	30⅛
Mont Ward	13	38⅛	37½	38⅛
Mid Cont Pet	4	14	14	14
Nash Kel	9	5¼	5⅛	5⅛
Nat Bis	8	17¾	17½	17½
Nat Dairy Pr	8	13⅝	13½	13⅝
Nat Pow&Lt	3	7⅛	7	7⅛
Nor Amer Co	24	16½	16¼	16⅜
Ohio Oil	4	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞
Pac Gas&El	3	27¼	27⅛	27¼
Packard Mot	5	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
Pan Am Air	5	15¾	15⅝	15¾
Penney J C	3	88	87⅞	87⅞
Penn RR	19	22½	22	22⅛
Phelps Dodge	8	34¼	34⅛	34⅛
Phillips Pet	5	39⅞	39⅝	39⅝
Plym Oil	1	18¼	18¼	18¼
Pure Oil	10	8⅛	7⅞	8⅛
Radio Corp	14	5	4⅞	5
Sears Roeb	9	75⅜	74⅝	74⅞
Shell Un	7	10¼	10	10⅛
Simmons	2	20½	20⅜	20½
Soc Vac	25	8⅜	8⅛	8⅜
Sou Pac	8	8⅜	8¼	8⅜
Stand Brands	10	6¾	6½	6¾
Stand Oil Cal	24	18	17¾	17⅞
Stand Oil Ind	27	26	25⅞	26
Stand Oil NJ	15	34⅜	33⅞	34⅛
Stone&Web	2	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜
Studebaker	11	8	7⅞	8
Texas Corp	5	38⅛	37¾	38⅛
Tex Gulf Prod	1	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Tex Gulf Sul	1	36¼	36⅛	36⅛
Tid Wat A	10	9⅜	9⅜	9⅜
Union Carb	10	71¾	71	71
Un Oil Cal	2	13	13⅛	13⅛
United Airc	3	43⅜	43½	43⅜
Un Carbon	1	52	52	52
Un Corp	112	1⅝	1½	1½
Un Gas Imp	38	10⅛	10	10
US Rub	12	24	23⅞	23⅞
US Steel	93	68⅜	67½	68⅛
Warner Bros	10	3⅜	3¼	3⅜
West Un Tel	3	20¾	20½	20¾
West El&Mfg	3	105	104⅜	105
White Motor	1	15	15	15

STOCKS IN THE SPOTLIGHT

NEW YORK—(AP)—Sales, closing price and net change of the fifteen most active stocks Saturday:

Comwlth & Sou 47,600	⅞	No	
United Corp 11,200	1½	—	⅛
U S Steel 9,300	68¼	+	1⅜
Param Pict 8,000	9¾	—	¼
Anaconda 6,300	27⅜	+	⅜
Repub Stl 5,500	22½	+	½
Int Mer Marine 4,800	10	+	⅜
Bklyn Manh Tr 4,500	6	No	
Consol Edis 4,200	21⅞	+	¼
Curtiss Wright 3,900	9⅛	+	¼
Uni Gas Imp 3,800	10	—	⅛
NY Shipbldg 3,400	24	+	½
Int P & P Pf 3,300	70	+	1⅞
Beth Steel 3,000	86¾	+	1½
Gen Pub Svc 3,000	¼	—	¼

NEW YORK CURB

Am Cyan B	36	35⅜	35⅜
Am Gas & El	29	*29	29
Ark Nat Gas A	2	2	2
Bath Iron Wks	17¾	17⅝	17⅝
Bell Aire	20½	20½	20½
Brewst Aero	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜
Cities Service	5¾	5¾	5¾
Crocker-Wh El M	4⅞	4¾	4⅞
Eagle Pich	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
El Bond & Sh	4⅜	4¼	4⅜
Gulf Oil	34	33¾	34
Humble Oil	63½	63¼	63¼
Niag Hud Pow	3¾	3½	3⅝
Okla Nat Gas	21⅜	21⅛	21⅛
Unit Lt & Pow A	7½	7⅜	7⅜

BUTTER AND EGGS

CHICAGO—(AP)—Butter receipts 505,841; steady; market unchanged.

Eggs 3,767; firm; market unchanged.

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO—(AP)—Cash wheat no sales reported.

Corn No. 3 mixed 64; No. 3 yellow 63¾-64¾; No. 4, 60-63¼; No. 4 white 67½.

Oats No. 1 mixed heavy 40½; No. 1 white 41¼; No. 1 wheat heavy 41¼-½; No. 2, 41¼; No. 1 red heavy 40¾.

TEXAS GRAIN

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Fair demand prevailed for grains here Saturday.

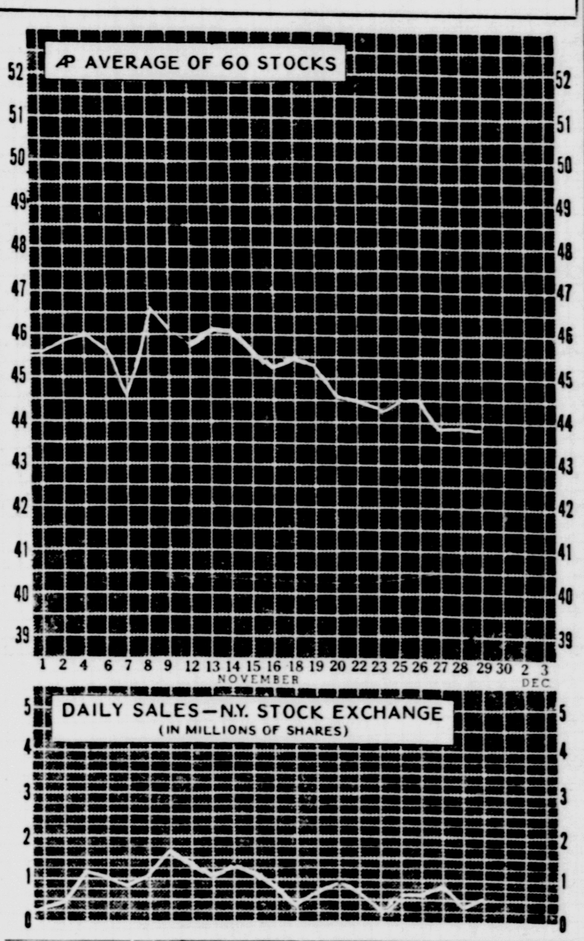
Wheat No. 1 soft red winter 97¼-98¼.

Barley No. 2 nom 61-62.

Sorghums No. 2 yellow milo per 100 lbs nom 1.13-15; No. 2 white kafir nom 1.13-15.

Corn, shelled, No. 2 white 76½-77½.

Oats No. 2 red 46½-47½.



CITRUS MARKET

VALLEY CARLOT SHIPMENTS BY RAIL FOR FRIDAY

Grapefruit 51, Oranges 7 Mixed Citrus 8, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 1, Beets 2, Carrots 1, Dandelion 1, Peppers 2, Radishes 1, Tomatoes 7, Mixed Vegetables 14, total 95 cars.

Totals by Rail and Boat to Date This Season: Grapefruit 2678, Oranges 270, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 4, Beans 1, Beets 36, Beets and Carrots 5, Carrots 8, Cabbage 3, Greens 2, Dandelion 1, Eggplant 2, Parsley 2, Peas 1, Peppers 80, Radishes 15, Squash 2, Tomatoes 217, Mixed Vegetables 237, total 3809.

To the Same Date Last Season: Citrus Fruits 3734, Vegetables 439, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 21, total 4194 cars.

VALLEY TRUCK CITRUS MOVEMENT FOR FRIDAY
(100 Trucks)

Grapefruit: 80 lb Boxes 10280, Bushels 44, ½ Bushels 7, 80 lb Sacks 5100, 50 lb Sacks 58, 40 lb Sacks 6.

Oranges: 80 lb Boxes 7054, Bushel 818, ½ Bushels 14, 80 lb Sacks 189, 50 lb Sacks 1169, 40 lb Sacks 663, 20 lb Sacks 30, 10 lb Sacks 1070.

Tangerines: 80 lb Boxes 20, ½ Boxes 20, Bushels 239, Half Bushels 434.

Carlot Equiv Nov. 29: Grapefruit 38.6, Oranges 22.3, Tangerines 8, total 61.7 cars.

To Date This Season: Grapefruit 2414.8, Oranges 1297.5, Tangerines 12.9, total 3725.2.

To Date Last Season: Grapefruit 1530.8, Oranges 1067.9, Tangerines 19.6, total 2618.3.

AVERAGE AUCTION PRICES OF GRAPEFRUIT SOLD AND UNREPORTED FRIDAY

PHILADELPHIA: Texas Marsh Pink 831 Boxes Gen Avg 2.22, High 2.27, Low 2.06.

Texas Foster Pink 165 Boxes Gen Avg 1.89, High 1.92, Low 1.71.

Fla Marsh 1255 Boxes Gen Avg 1.77, High 2.68, Low 1.53.

Fla Other 1067 Boxes Gen Avg 1.29, High 1.31, Low 1.18.

Fla Marsh 312 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.26, High 1.40, Low 1.25.

Fla Other 420 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.06, High 1.40, Low 1.01.

BOSTON: Fla White 670 Boxes Gen Avg 1.94, High 2.36, Low 1.76.

Fla White 286 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.62.

NEW YORK: Texas Pinks 1175 Boxes Gen Avg 2.19, High 2.56, Low 1.96.

Fla Marsh 3605 Boxes Gen Avg 2.16, High 2.69, Low 1.79.

Fla Other 2520 Boxes Gen Avg 1.59, High 1.96, Low 1.42.

Fla Pink Marsh 100 Boxes Gen Avg 2.07, High 2.25, Low 1.85.

Fla Marsh 32 wire Boxes All sold at 1.90.

Fla Other 290 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.65, High 1.82, Low 1.35.

FLORIDA TRUCK CITRUS MOVEMENT FOR FRIDAY

Carlot Equiv Nov. 29: Grapefruit 15, Oranges 61, Tangerines 12, total 88 cars.

To Date This Season: Grapefruit 773, Oranges 2189, Tangerines 149, Total 3111 cars.

To Date Last Season: Grapefruit 858, Oranges 2564, Tangerines 266, total 3688 cars.

VEGETABLES

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM OTHER TEXAS DISTRICTS FOR FRIDAY

Laredo Dist: Mixed Vegetables 2, Peppers 1, total 3 cars.

Coastal Bend: Beets 1, Mixed Vegetables 2, total 3 cars.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR FRIDAY

Belle Glade, Florida—Lake Okeechobee Section:

Snap Beans: Haulings light. Demand fair, market firm. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truckloads cash at packing houses: bushel hampers, Bountifuls 80c-$1.00, fair quality 75-80c; Stringless Black Valentines $1.10-1.35, fair quality 80c-$1.00; Tendergreens $1.00-1.10, fair quality 80-95c; Wax, flat type, fair quality $1.50.

Greens Peas: Practically no haulings. Too few sales to quote.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK—(AP)—The Argentine peso rose smartly in the free foreign exchange market Saturday but the dollars of Hongkong and Shanghai remained under pressure.

The peso advanced .10 cent to 23.60 United States. The Hongkong unit dropped .06 of a cent to 23.54, or more than ¼ cent below a year ago, while the Shanghai money lost 1-20 cent at 5.95 U. S. cents.

Free sterling remained at $4.04 and the Canadian dollar at 88¾ cents.

Closing rates follow (Great Britain in dollars, others in cents):

Canada

Official Canadian Control Board rates for U. S. dollars; buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent.

Canadian dollar in New York open market 13⅛ per cent discount or 86.87½ U. S. cents.

Europe

Great Britain, official, (Bankers Foreign Exchange Committee rates), buying $4.02, selling $4.04; open market, sales $4.04; Germany 40.07N; (benevolent) 18.60; Finland 2.05N; Greece .68N; Hungary 19.77N; Italy 5.06; Portugal 4.01; Rumania .48N; Sweden 23.85; Switzerland 23.21; Yugoslavia 2.35N.

Latin America

Argentine official 29.77; free 23.60; Brazil official 6.05; free 5.05; Mexico 20.75N.

Far East

Japan 23.48; Hongkong 23.54; Shanghai 5.95.

(Rates in spot cables unless otherwise indicated.)

N—Nominal.

METALS

NEW YORK—(AP)—Copper steady; electrolytic spot Conn. Valley 12.00; export FAS NY 10.00-11.00, Lead steady; spot, New York, 5.65-70; East St. Louis 5.50. Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and forward 7.25.

COTTON

COTTONSEED OIL

NEW YORK—(AP)—Bleachable cottonseed oil futures closed unchanged to 1 higher. Sales 24 contracts. Jan. 5.82B; May 6.06B; July 6.06B.

B—Bid.

MIDDLING COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The average price of middling 15-16ths inch cotton Saturday at ten designated southern spot markets was 3 points lower at 9.71 cents a pound; average for the past 30 market days 9.59 cents; middling 1aths-inch average 9.50 cents a pound.

SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady 1 point lower. Sales 2,188, low middling 8.83, middling 9.83, good middling 10.33.

COTTONSEED OIL

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady: bleachable prime summer yellow 5.50, prime crude 4.42½, Dec. 5.28B, Jan. 5.34B, March 5.44, May 5.50B, July 5.57B.

B—Bid.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Cotton futures declined here Saturday under week-end long liquidation. Closing prices were steady 1 to 2 points net lower.

	High	Low	Close
December	10.12	10.10	10.10
January	....	....	10.00B
March	10.15	10.10	10.13
May	10.04	10.00	10.03
July	9.83	9.78	9.78
October	9.27	9.24	9.26B

TEXAS COTTON

DALLAS—(AP)—Cotton 9.42; Houston 9.70; Galveston 9.73.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Potatoes; arrivals 101; on track 383; total US shipments 364; supplies liberal; demand slow; Idaho Russets slightly weaker; offering other sections about steady; sacked per cwt.—Idaho Russet Burbanks US 1, 1.50-60; Nebraska Bliss Triumphs US 1, 1.57½-75; Minnesota and North Dakota Cobblers 80-85 percent US 1, 95-1.02½; early Ohio 80 percent US 1, 1.00; Bliss Triumphs 85 percent or more US 1, 1.00-1.17½; Wisconsin round whites US 1, 1.00.

KANSAS CITY GRAIN

KANSAS CITY—(AP)—Wheat 10 cars, ¼ lower to 1 higher. No. 2 dark hard, 85½; No. 2 hard N 83¼-86½; No. 2 red 85.

Close: Dec. 82¼-⅛; May 81⅜a-¼; July 77⅛.

Corn 18 cars, unchanged to ¼ lower. No. 2 white N 63¼-64; No. 2 yellow 60¾; No. 2 mixed N 60¼-61½.

Close: Dec. 58⅞; May 59⅜; July 58⅜.

Oats 2 cars; unchanged to ½ lower. No. 2 white N 36½-39½.

NEW YORK BONDS

Foreign

Ger Gvt	7S	49	14½
Italy	7S	1951	43⅞
Japan	6½	54	68¾

Domestic

Allegheny	5S	50	61
Am Ig	5½	49	104½
Am T T	5½	43	104½
ATSF	4S	95	108¼
B & O Cv.	4½S	60	123¾
Beth Stl	3¼	59	107½
Can Pac	4S	perp	81¼
CBQ	4½	77	72½
CGW	4	59	24¼
CMSTP	4S	89	27½
CNW	4S	87	17½
CRIP	4½	52	53¾
Erie Rf	5S	75	121¼
Gt Nor	4S	46	104½
Ill Cen	4¾	66	36¾
KC South	5	50	69¼

Screen Calendar

NEWS OF LATEST MOTION PICTURES

Current Films

Robert Taylor and Norma Shearer in Ethel Vance's thrilling novel, "Escape," booked for showing Sunday and Monday at both the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen and the Palace Theatre in McAllen. The featured supporting cast to Taylor and Miss Shearer includes Conrad Veidt, Nazimova, Felix Bressart, Albert Bassermann and Bonita Granville.

John Wayne and Marlene Dietrich in the screen's romantic drama, "Seven Sinners," booked for showing Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.

Current Films

THE MUSIC of Noel Coward finds its perfect interpretators in Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy in the picturization of the Coward operetta "Bittersweet," which is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville; Tuesday and Wednesday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and at the State Theatre in Mercedes, Thursday and Friday.

The stars were never in better voice and never sang in a more colorful setting, for the Gay Nineties period in which the story is set is brilliantly reproduced in Technicolor.

Miss MacDonald is seen as Sarah Millick, Victorian belle, who on the eve of her wedding, elopes with her singing teacher, Carl Linden, played by Eddy. Both roles are enacted with complete ease and conviction by the stars, who are called on for no exaggerated dramatics but appear entirely natural as musicians. Miss MacDonald displays her dancing ability to gay advantage and Eddy shows his musical versatility by playing piano and violin as well as leading the orchestra on occasion.

POPULAR STARS SEEN IN NEW FILM HIT

NORMA SHEARER and Robert Taylor share co-starring honors in the dramatic screen presentation of Ethel Vance's thrilling novel "Escape," which is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at both the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen and the Palace Theatre in McAllen.

The story concerns the frantic efforts of an American son to rescue his foreign born mother from a concentration camp in Germany. The screen adaptation preserves the dramatic pace of the original novel and in addition presents Taylor and Miss Sheare,r in performances that match in persuasive perfection and power any of their previous portrayals.

The central character, "Emmy Ritter," around whose prison predicament complications arise, is played by Nazimova with Conrad Veidt, Felix Bressart and Albert Bassermann in featured supporting roles.

"ARISE MY LOVE" IS ROMANTIC COMEDY

THE STORY of an audacious newspaper woman and an aviator who speaks above the clouds with roaring machine guns brings Claudette Colbert and Ray Milland together as co-stars in "Arise My Love," which is booked for showing Sunday and Monday at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito and the State Theatre in Mercedes.

Milland plays the role of a young aviator who has been fighting with the Loyalists in Spain, is a prisoner of the Franco forces, and is condemned to be shot. Suddenly he learns that his wife has charmed the Spanish high command so efficiently that he has been pardoned, in order that he may go home with the appealing petitioner.

Since he has no wife, he is baffled . . . but appreciative when the "wife" who is a pretty American newspaper girl on the trail of a big news story. They barely get to England as the Nazi war machine gets under way to roll over Europe.

TYRONE POWER PLAYS DRAMATIC ROLE

A MASKED adventurer whose 'Z', slashed on the foreheads of oppressors of his people, strikes fear into every heart but that of the girl who loves him, gives Tyrone Power another dashing role in "The Mark of Zorro," showing Sunday and Monday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco.

Story of California in the days of the great dons, the picture tells of the odd means a young swordsman takes to rid his people of the oppression of a weakling with a cruel henchman when the lad's own father has been ousted as leader of the community. By day a wastrel and a fop, the swordsman by night becomes Zorro, most feared terror of the oppressors.

Under Rouben Mamoulian's direction is the cast topped by pretty Linda Darnell and including Basil Rathbone, Gale Sondergaard, Eugene Pallette, J. Edward Bromberg and Chris-Pin Martin.

Nelson Eddy and Jeanette MacDonald in their latest screen musical, "Bittersweet," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville; Tuesday and Wednesday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco, and at the State Theater in Mercedes, Thursday and Friday. The featured supporting cast to the popular co-starring team includes George Saunders, Ian Hunter, Fay Holden, Janet Beecher and Lynne Carver.

VALLEY SCREEN CALENDAR

CAPITOL THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY, Monday: Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy in Noel Coward's "Bittersweet" with Ian Hunter and Lynne Carver. Filmed in Color. Also Texas-A. & M. Football Game.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Nancy Kelly, Allan Jones, Peggy Moran and Robert Cummings in "One Night In The Tropics" with Leo Carillo and Mary Boland. Also "March Of Time."
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: John Wayne and Thomas Mitchell in John Ford's production of Eugene O'Neill's "The Long Voyage Home" with Ian Hunter.

QUEEN THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY ONLY: Henry Wilcoxon and Carole Landis in "Mystery Sea Raider."
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Joan Crawford and Frederic March in "Susan And God" with Ruth Hussey, John Carroll and Bruce Cabot.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Raymond Massey in Robert E. Sherwood's "Abe Lincoln In Illinois" with Ruth Gordon and Mary Howard.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Charles Starrett and Marjorie Cooley in "West Of Abilene" with the Sons Of The Pioneers.

RIVOLI THEATRE, SAN BENITO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Claudette Colbert and Ray Milland in "Arise My Love" with Walter Abel, Dennis O'Keefe and Esther Dale. Also March Of Time.
TUESDAY ONLY: Baby Sandy, Stuart Erwin and Una Merkel in "Sandy Gets Her Man" with Edgar Kennedy and William Frawley.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Dick Powell and Joan Blondell in "I Want A Divorce" with Gloria Dickson and Conrad Nagel. Also: Texas-A. & M. Game.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Wayne Morris, Virginia Dale and Lillian Cornell in "The Quarterback" with William Frawley and Edgar Kennedy.

ARCADIA THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Norma Shearer and Robert Taylor in Ethel Vance's "Escape" with Conrad Veidt, Nazimova, Blanche Yurka and Bonita Granville. Also: Texas- A.&M. Football Game.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Frances Langford, Richard Carlson and Lucille Ball in "Too Many Girls" with Ann Miller and Eddie Bracken.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Marlene Dietrich in "Seven Sinners" with John Wayne, Broderick Crawford, Mischa Auer and Albert Dekker. Special: The latest "March Of Time."

RIALTO THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Victor McLaglen and Anne Nagel in "Diamond Frontier" with John Loder and Hugh Sothern.
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Lloyd Nolan and Lynn Bari in "Pier 13" with Douglas Fowley, Joan Valerie and Chick Chandler.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Cesar Romero as the Cisco Kid in O'Henry's "The Gay Caballero" with Sheila Ryan, Chris-Pin Martin and Janet Beecher.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Roy Rogers and Jacqueline Wells in "The Ranger And The Lady" with George "Gabby" Hayes and Henry Brandon.

STRAND THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Loretta Young and Melvyn Douglas in "He Stayed For Breakfast" with Eugene Pallette and Alan Marshall.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Shirley Temple and Jack Oakie in "Young People" with Charlotte Greenwood.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: John Hall and Lynn Bari in "Kit Carson" with Dana Andrews.
SATURDAY ONLY: Spanish Language Film.

STATE THEATRE, MERCEDES

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Claudette Colbert and Ray Milland in "Arise My Love" with Walter Abel, Dennis O'Keefe and Esther Dale.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Dick Powell and Ellen Drew in "Christmas In July" with Raymond Walburn and William Demarest.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy in Noel Coward's "Bittersweet" with Ian Hunter and Lynne Carver. Filmed in Color.
SATURDAY ONLY: The Three Mesquiteers in "Under Texas Skies" with Bob Livingston, Bob Steele and Rufe Davis.

RITZ THEATRE, WESLACO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Tyrone Power and Linda Darnell in "The Mark Of Zorro" with Basil Rathbone, Eugene Pallette and Chris-Pin Martin.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy in Noel Coward's "Bittersweet" with Ian Hunter and Lynne Carver. Filmed in Technicolor. Also: Texas-A. & M. Football Game.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Dick Powell and Ellen Drew in "Christmas In July" with Raymond Walburn and Esther Dale.
SATURDAY ONLY: Roy Rogers and Jacqueline Wells in "Young Bill Hickok" with George "Gabby" Hayes, Monte Blue, Sally Payne and John Miljan.

PALACE THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Norma Shearer and Robert Taylor in Ethel Vance's "Escape" with Conrad Veidt, Nazimova, Blanche Yurka and Bonita Granville.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Ann Sothern and Ian Hunter in "Dulcy" with Roland Young, Reginald Gardiner, Billie Burke and Lynne Carver.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Alice Faye and Jack Oakie, Betty Grable and John Payne in "Tin Pan Alley" with Allen Jenkins and Esther Ralston. Also: Texas-A. & M. Football Game.

QUEEN THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Anita Louise and Roger Pryor in "Glamour For Sale" with June McCloy and Frances Robinson.
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy in "New Moon" with Mary Boland.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Ginger Rogers and Kent Taylor in "The Girl From Avenue A."
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Johnny Mack Brown and Nell O'Day in "Ragtime Cowboy Joe" with Fuzzy Knight and the Texas Rangers.

Citizen Army Seen In Latest March Of Time

Nation's Defense Is Also Pictured

Virtually every family in the nation is today deeply affected by the U. S. Selective Service Law, under which sixteen million young American men have already placed themselves at the service of their country. The full story of this first peacetime conscription in U. S. history, and many other phases of the nation's huge defense program, are pictured for the first time on the screen in March of Time's latest absorbing film release, "Arms and the Men—U. S. A.," which is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito; Tuesday and Wednesday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

This newest March of Time Shows —step by step—how Uncle Sam's gigantic defense program is under way which, within a few years, is destined to give the U. S. an army of five million active and reserve troops, including ten full divisions of mechanized and motorized units; a two-ocean Navy totaling more than three million tons of fighting ships; and an air force of 50,000 planes that will be superior to that of any other nation in the world.

TEXAS-A & M GAME ON SCREEN

The Texas-A. and M. game is scheduled for showing at both the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen and the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville, Sunday and Monday.

The same pictures will also be seen Tuesday and Wednesday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco; the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Wednesday and Thursday; the Palace Theatre in McAllen, Thursday, Friday and Saturday and the State Theatre in Mercedes next Sunday and Monday.

"THE GAY CABALLERO"

Cesar Romero as the 'Cisco Kid' is seen in "The Gay Caballero," scheduled for showing Wednesday and Thursday at the Rialto Theatre in Harlingen. The film is based upon the famed O'Henry novel of the same title.

QUEEN BROWNSVILLE
SUNDAY ONLY
CAROLE LANDIS
IN
"MYSTERY SEA RAIDER"
WITH
HENRY WILCOXON

RIALTO HARLINGEN
SUNDAY ONLY
VICTOR McLAGLEN
IN
"DIAMOND FRONTIER"
WITH
ANNE NAGEL

STRAND HARLINGEN
SUNDAY—MONDAY
LORETTA YOUNG
IN
"HE STAYED FOR BREAKFAST"
WITH
MELVYN DOUGLAS

QUEEN McALLEN
SUNDAY ONLY
ANITA LOUISE
IN
"GLAMOUR FOR SALE"
WITH
ROGER PRYOR

CAPITOL BROWNSVILLE
SUNDAY and MONDAY
SOARING TO THEIR Greatest GLORY!
More stirring than "NAUGHTY MARIETTA"
More adventurous than "ROSE MARIE"
More melodious than "SWEETHEARTS"
More dramatic than "MAYTIME"
Hear 11 Glorious Melodies
Jeanette MacDONALD
Nelson EDDY
in NOEL COWARD'S
Bittersweet
with GEORGE SANDERS
IAN HUNTER
METRO GOLDWYN MAYER PICTURE
IN TECHNICOLOR
EXTRA!
TEXAS-A. & M. FOOTBALL GAME
COLOR CARTOON— LATEST NEWS

RIVOLI SAN BENITO
SUNDAY MONDAY
The flaming story of an aviator and a newspaper woman who find love and dare to keep it amid the havoc of a world gone mad!
CLAUDETTE COLBERT
RAY MILLAND
in
"ARISE, MY LOVE"
with WALTER ABEL
EXTRA:
"MARCH of TIME"
CARTOON—NEWS
Here's Something New in Christmas Gifts for Boys and Girls, and Old Folks, Too
THEATRE Gift Book
ON SALE NOW at BOX OFFICE
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BALCONY (Adults) 15c
MAIN FLOOR (Adults) 20c
CHILDREN (All Seats) 10c

RIVOLI THEATRE
SAN BENITO
NEW LOW ADMISSION PRICES
Effective Sunday, Dec. 1st
WEEK DAY MATINEE
BALCONY (Adults) 15c
MAIN FLOOR (Adults) 25c
CHILDREN (All Seats) 10c
EVENINGS and SUNDAY
BALCONY (Adults) 20c
MAIN FLOOR (Adults) 30c
CHILDREN (All Seats) 10c

STATE MERCEDES
SUNDAY—MONDAY
CLAUDETTE Colbert RAY Milland in Arise MY LOVE
CAPITOL BROWNSVILLE
WEDNESDAY NITE 10:00 P. M.
HOLLYWOOD "Sneak" PREVIEW!
Be Wise Be There! No Advance in Prices!
A NEW PICTURE!
Plus: Regular Screen Program!
RITZ WESLACO
SUNDAY—MONDAY
TYRONE POWER
LINDA DARNELL
THE MARK OF Zorro
20th CENTURY FOX PICTURE

ARCADIA HARLINGEN
PALACE McALLEN
SUNDAY — MONDAY
THE Romance of REBECCA
THE ADVENTURE of GONE WITH THE WIND
The DRAMA of ESCAPE
★ And now another great novel finds its way to the screen . . . combining all the power-packed entertainment of those three unforgettable hits in one mighty motion picture. ★ SHEARER . . . surpassing her great triumph in "The Women" . . . TAYLOR . . . eclipsing his dramatic portrayal in "Waterloo Bridge" . . . and a superb cast of artists in the roles every star asked to play!
Escape
Norma Shearer Robert Taylor
with
CONRAD VEIDT • NAZIMOVA
FELIX BRESSART • ALBERT BASSERMANN
PHILIP DORN • BONITA GRANVILLE
ARCADIA SHORTS:
TEXAS-A.&M. FOOTBALL GAME
"POPULAR SCIENCE NOVELTY"
"PARAMOUNT WORLD NEWS"
PALACE SHORTS:
"THE FULLA BLUFF MAN"
An All Color Cartoon
"PARAMOUNT WORLD NEWS"

Rice ..... 21 | Baylor ..... 12 | S.M.U. ..... 16 | Texas Christian 0 | Tennessee .... 20 | Vanderbilt .... 0 | Boston College . 7 | Holy Cross .... 0 | Stanford ..... 13 | California .... 7 | Fordham ..... 26 | New York U. .. 0 | New Mexico .. 19 | Texas Tech ... 14 | Nebraska ..... 20 | Kansas State .. 0

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REVOLUTION BREAKS OUT IN RUMANIA

Greek Navy Goes Into Action, Sinks Sub

ITALIAN ROUT CONTINUES ON LAND FRONTS

Greeks Hail First Naval Victory

By The Associated Press

ATHENS—Greek forces smashed stubbornly resisting Italians at many points along the Albanian front Saturday and made gains of "considerable depth," the high command reported Saturday night, while at sea the destroyer Aetos was reported to have sunk an Italian submarine for Greece's first naval victory of the war.

On the northern wing of the front, the high command said, Greek soldiers occupying Pogradetz, 20 miles above the captured Italian invasion base of Koritza, seized 15 Fascist officers and more than 200 enlisted men, along with six guns, 50 machine-guns and "a considerable number" of Howitzers.

Stiff Opposition

From Pogradetz on southward to the Adriatic coast Saturday night's communique said, the Greeks were on the offensive, but that they were meeting with stiff Italian oppisition.

The high command meanwhile reported Greek advances wrested new positions from the Italians "at various parts of the front," especially in the drive north of Konispolis, toward Porto Edda, major Fascist port of Debarkation in Albania.

Some Italian forces retreating toward Porto Edda were declared cut off farther north by Greek operations around Argirocastro, Mussolini's southern Albanian invasion base.

Troops Reinforced

(The Italians, who say they still hold Argirocastro, declared their forces held firm against Greek attacks. They reported their reinforced troops were counter-attacking north of Pogradetz, which fell to the Greeks Friday, but reports from the Yugoslav frontier said they were withdrawing toward Elbasani, in central Albania).

In the first month of the 34-day-old war, the Greek home security

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BOWL GAMES SHAPING UP

Tennessee, Boston In New Orleans Tilt

By The Associated Press

The program of football games for New Year's Day, 1941, was virtually completed Saturday when the major part of the 1940 college season came to an end.

Five of the nation's outstanding teams, three of them unbeaten and untied and one tied once but undefeated, accepted invitations to play in various Bowl games. Components for three of them have not yet been formally announced but indications point to Nebraska and Texas A. and M. as two of the teams that are almost certain to receive invitations to one or another of the post-season extravaganzas.

Here's the New Year's lineup as it shapes up now.

Sugar Bowl (New Orleans)—Tennessee vs. Boston College. Both have accepted.

Rose Bowl (Pasadena)—Stanford, Pacific Coast champion. Opponent not named; Nebraska appears No. 1 choice.

Orange Bowl (Miami) — Mississippi State accepted bid rather than await a possible Rose Bowl invitation. Opponent not named; Texas A. and M., Georgetown, Penn. State and Lafayette being considered. Texas Aggies, however, are considered as a possible Cotton Bowl or Rose Bowl team while Georgetown has received favorably a proposal for a Christmas Day game against Santa Clara at San Francisco.

Cotton Bowl (Dallas)—Fordham vs. opponent to be named Monday by Southwest Conference faculty members; Texas Aggies appear to be first choice while Rice and Southern Methodist also considered.

Sun Bowl (El Paso) — Arizona State of Tempe, Border Conference champions, probably against western team to be named.

Postmaster Orders 6000 Aspirin Tabs

DALLAS —(AP)— Postmaster J. Howard Payne prepared for the Christmas rush by requisitioning 6,000 aspirin tablets which will be kept in first-aid kits for the use of postal workers.

Camacho Assassination Plot Foiled; One Slain

Communists Blamed On Inauguration Eve; Plotters Kill Officer Leading Raid

By The Associated Press

MEXICO CITY—Soldiers and police stood guard at strategic points in the city Saturday night following military action to prevent a rumored plot to assassinate President-elect Manuel Avila Camacho at his inauguration Sunday.

Investigation of the rumor resulted in the death of Major Guillermo Garcia Gallegos Friday night in a volley of gunfire when he led a detail of soldiers in a raid on a meeting, which police described as "subversive," at Communist offices.

Among 55 persons arrested in the raid was Ester Chapa, who holds a responsible position in the department of interior. A cache of three rifles, 15 pistols, a bomb and a quantity of cartridges was seized, police said. A second shooting in which a detective was wounded occurred in a suburb where police raided a private home for hidden arms. Four more persons were arrested.

General Manuel Avila Camacho today at 11 a. m. becomes President Camacho—less than 48 hours after a plot to assassinate him was foiled by government officers. The leader of the raid upon Communist plotters was killed.

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No Disturbances Expected

Despite the sensation caused by the reported plot, the inauguration of Avila Camacho is expected to go forward without more than minor disturbances, Assistant Chief of Police Cesar Lara asserted. He said Friday night's incident was of no real importance or significance."

Henry A. Wallace, United States vice president-elect will represent his country as a special ambassador at the ceremonies, scheduled for 11 a.m. (CST). In the chamber of deputies.

Wallace's arrival in the capital early Friday was marred by a demonstration of more than 200 followers of General Juan Almazan, over whom Avila Camacho won a disputed victory in July's elections.

Embassy Stoned

Shouting 'Viva Almazan—Down with Wallace," they stoned the American embassy. Wallace, however was not molested.

Police were understood to be investigating whether the demonstration and the subsequent stoning of George Washington's status here were inspired by Communists.

Inauguration Of Camacho Set For 11 A. M.

MEXICO CITY — (AP) — A quiet-mannered veteran of one of Mexico's two major revolutions and of numerous rebellions will assume Sunday the task of uniting a nation badly divided by a turbulent presidential campaign.

Solid, sober, conservative, 43-year-old General Manuel Avila Camacho will be inaugurated as the republic's 46th president, succeeding his long-time friend and current backer, Lazaro Cardenas.

On husky Avila Camacho's bull-like shoulders and imperturbable temper will rest the burden of solving the complex economic and political problems, such as the oil expropriation controversy, left him by his predecessor and of consolidating the social advances of Cardenas' radical administration.

Has Right Temperament

The incoming president's friends, and even his critics, say he is suited by temperament and experience for this difficult task.

Renunciation of all presidential claims by General Juan Andreu Almazan, unsuccessful independent candidate, has apparently liquidated the possibility that the president-elect might have to defend his government on the battlefield.

But the battlefield hardly would have been a new experience for him. Avila Camacho rose to the

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Snow Plows Called

RATON, N. M.—(AP)—From northeastern New Mexico Saturday came pleas for aid of highway crews to open drifts that accumulated during a record snow storm last week-end.

BOGGESS IS FLOWN HERE

50-Mile Trek Beset By Wolf Pack

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BROWNSVILLE—Ray D. Boggess, Houston finance company executive, arrived here Saturday by plane from Victoria, Mexico, after being lost three days without food and water in the wilds of La Guna Island.

Boggess was a member of a Gulf of Mexico fishing party that became separated last Sunday when wind sent the party's yacht out to sea.

The other members of the party, George Erickson, Galveston; Carleton Boggess, and Denzil Hollis, both of Houston, were found safe Thursday. W. B. Nolan, of Houston, was rescued from the boat at sea by a U. S. destroyer and was landed at Galveston.

The elder Boggess, hatless and

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US 4-Motor Bomber Due In Brownsville On Flight To Coast

BROWNSVILLE—A four-motored bomber of the B-17 type, which left Hamilton Field, California, about 12:20 a. m. Saturday on a non-stop training flight to Atlanta, Ga., is expected to stop in Brownsville on return flight.

The navigation check flight, expected to find the bomber landing in Atlanta by noon, was to continue from there to Tampa, Fla., before the return flight. Capt. T. W. Steed is in command of the ship and crew of 10.

U. S. BUSINESS MAY SHATTER ALL RECORDS

But Rising Taxes For New Year Feared

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By FRANK MAC MILLEN

NEW YORK—(AP) —American industry whirled along at the swiftest pace in a decade this week, but business men appeared increasingly preoccupied with problems presented by a war-geared economy.

Taxes, inventories, prices, wages, all came in for discussion as business moved steadily toward a new year appeared certain to set historic production records.

No Retroactive Taxes

When Senator Pat Harrison revealed the administration at Washington had decided no further taxes retroactive to 1940 would be sought from congress, the news seemed only to have emphasized the fact that 1941 levies would surpass even present high rates. Some Washington quarters predicted an effort to raise $10,000,000,000, a peace-time high, by taxation next year.

To rising taxes, was being added the problem of pouring into the man of the hungry industrial machine, the fodder of raw and semi-finished materials necessary to keep up and increase its present rapid tempo.

What this means to thousands of factories, and to the markets for many kinds of industrial raw products, was indicated by the monthly survey of the national association o purchasing agents, whose members are responsible for the buying policies of a good part of the country's leading concerns.

End Not In Sight

"Opinion persists," the association said, "that . . . the haste to furnish supplies, ammunition and equipment for defense and armament purposes has many months yet to run in this country.

"Consequently, in most lines of industry, buyers cannot afford to do otherwise than have essential production materials covered well through the first half of next year, and in certain items the sooner these purchases are made the better, even though rapidly changing price structures are not anticipated in the immediate future.

"Higher production costs, which

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Woman, Grandchild Hit By Automobile

SAN JUAN—Struck by an auto in Mexiquito here Saturday about 7:15 p.m. as they crossed the street, Mrs. Maria Garcia and a grand daughter, were reported in a "not serious" condition at McAllen Municipal Hospital later.

State patrolmen said the car which hit the couple was driven by W. C. Fack, Pharr. The accident occurred two and one-half blocks north of the railroad tracks here.

Daisy Is Ill

One Siamese Twin Has Breakdown

MINNEAPOLIS—(AP)—Daisy Hilton, unmarried member of the only set of Siamese twins in America, is ill.

Daisy was stricken with appendicitis and a nervous collapse Thursday night in Tomah, Wis. The twins—both of them, of course—are confined in a Tomah hotel under care of Dr. T. J. Sheehy. Violet, Daisy's twin, is not ill, Dr. Sheehy said.

The Hilton sisters are 32 years old. They were born in Texas and have appeared in vaudeville since they were three years old. They recently have made their headquarters in Minneapolis.

An explosion trapped 31 miners at the Ohio & Pennsylvania Coal Co.'s Nelms shaft five miles east of Cadiz, Ohio. This picture shows the company's office and entrance to the mine, where rescuers were trying to reach entombed men.

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NEW CAVE-INS BALK RESCUE

31 Ohio Miners Are Lost, Is Feared

By The Associated Press

CADIZ, O. — A new hazard, constant roof cave-ins, Saturday night further hampered weary mine crews trying to break a path to 31 or 32 trapped coal miners already given up for dead.

One body was taken Saturday morning from the Ohio and Pennsylvania Coal Company's Nelms mine, rocked Friday by an explosion, but there were indications the remainder would not be reached before Monday night or Tuesday. Until then the exact death toll will not be known.

Company officials outwardly maintained the mine tradition that there always is hope, but relatives and mine inspectors agreed with John Owens, Ohio district United Mine Workers' union president, that "there's no question but that all are dead."

Besides the roof cave-ins, which showered heavy rock around rescue crews, deadly gas permitted the men to work in the deep pits only for brief periods.

Owens blamed the explosion on gas, declared it would not have happened had there been an adequate air supply and charged that "this catastrophe could have been prevented if we had adequate inspection and regulation of mines."

US October Income Highest Since 1930

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The Commerce Department said Saturday that October income payments to individuals amounted to $6,671,000,000 and were the highest for any month since May, 1930.

With good business indicated for the remainder of the year, the department said, the total of such payments for 1940 is expected to exceed $74,000,000,000. This would compare with $70,000,000,000 last year and the 1929 record of $82,885,000,000.

Aluminum Strikers Get Wage Increase

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill.—(AP)—Settlement of the 5-week-old strike of 1,190 workers at the Aluminum Ore Company plant here was announced Saturday by William F. White, United States conciliation commissioner.

White said the agreement provided wage increases ranging from 2 to 5 cents an hour for all employes.

U.S. Lends 100 Millions To China; Ignores Japan Pact

New Treaty With Puppet Chinese Ruler Is Virtual Surrender Of All China

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The United States pointedly made clear its attitude toward the Tokyo-Nanking "peace" treaty Saturday by reaffirming its recognition of Chiang Kai-Shek's anti-Japanese government and announcing a $100,000,000 credit to it.

With the ink hardly dry on the pact signed at Nanking by Japanese Ambassador General Nobuyuki Abe and Wang Ching Wei, recognized by the Japanese as president of a national government of China, there were these developments here:

First, Secretary of State Hull said at his press conference that of course the United States continued to recognize Chiang Kai-Shek's Chungking administration as the government of China.

Secondly, President Roosevelt announced that two $50,000,000 credits to Chungking were "contemplated."

KAI-SHEK OFFERS CASH REWARD FOR WANG

CHUNGKING, China—(AP)—The National Government of China offered a reward of 100,000 Chinese dollars ($6,000) Saturday for Wang Ching-Wei, head of the Japanese-recognized Nanking government, "for usurping the presidency and signing with the enemy a treaty detrimental to China's sovereignty."

One, to be made by the Export-Import Bank and to be repaid in shipments of strategic materials, will be for the Chiang Kai-Shek's administration's "general purposes" such as keeping its army of 2,500,000 in the field.

The other allocation will be from the treasury's $2,000,000,000 stabilization fund. The President said this sum was "for purposes of monetary protection and manage-

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Mob At Gatesville Breaks Up Meeting

GATESVILLE —(AP)— Deputy Sheriff T. W. Lilljedahl said a group of citizens broke up a convention of Jehovah's Witnesses here Saturday night and seized and burned literature and benches which were thrown from the second story meeting place.

Lilljedahl said the approximately 150 delegates had been warned to leave town following several fist fights during the afternoon.

New Dictator

Paraguay President Takes Over

ASUNCION, Paraguay — (AP) — President Higinio Morinigo followed up his ouster of Lieut. Col. Ramon Paredes, former "strong man" of Paraguay, and other officials of his cabinet with a proclamation Saturday saying he had decided to assume all government powers to push forward the "Paraguayan revolution."

This phrase was first used by Morinigo's precedessor, Jose Felix Estigarribia, when he dissolved the congress and initiated a dictatorial government.

Estigarribia was killed in an airplane crash last September and Morinigo succeeded him to serve the unexpired term.

U. S. SALES TAX TURNED DOWN

Installment Plan To Pay For Defense?

WASHINGTON— (AP) —President Roosevelt was represented Saturday as desiring a tax program in the new Congress which would provide sufficient revenues to meet routine peacetime expenditures, plus annual installment payments on extraordinary defense outlays.

This broad objective was reported to have been laid down by the president to congressional and treasury fiscal experts Friday night at a White House conference on the government's finances.

Total Not Decided

Conferees who reviewed their impressions of that meeting said that while the goal had been set, there was no agreement on how much additional revenue would be needed or just how it might be obtained.

The conference did arrive at two definite conclusions — that there should be no retroactive taxation on 1940 income of individuals or corporations, and that there should be no general sales tax.

In substance, the president's general view of fiscal policies was said to be this:

He would trim non-military expenditures to bare essentials in the new budget, leaving it up to Congress to determine whether it would stay within his estimates.

Extraordinary defense spending probably would have to be financed

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Thai Forces Occupy French Indo-China After Alleged Raid

BANGKOK, Thailand—(AP)—The districts of Banongkien, Bankokekrabang and Pratuchai in French Indo-China have been occupied by Thai (Siamese) forces, and reprisal raids made against Thakhek and Savannakhet, the high command said Saturday.

Thakhek and Savannakhet, towns on the border of French Indo-China, were attacked by the Thai air force, advices said, after an alleged French bombing of Thailand.

Oslo Nazi Agents Nab Secret Radios

STOCKHOLM —(AP)— The newspaper Dagens Nyheter in an Oslo dispatch reported Saturday German authorities in the Norwegian capital had made numerous arrests in a search for operators of secret radio stations allegedly facilitating espionage activi-

Miners Are Lost Here

30 IRON GUARD SLAYERS OF 64 'KILL SELVES'

Revolt Reported In Russian Areas

BUCHAREST—(AP)— Revolution has broken out among the 4,000,000 inhabitants of Sovietized Bessarabia, a diplomatic communication received here said Saturday night, because of "public indignation over scarcity and high prices of food, fuel and medicines."

Shortly after receipt of the dispatch here all communications between Russia and Rumania were severed and no one was permitted to cross the border. An official announcement said telegraph and telephone services were "cut in Russia."

By The Associated Press

BUCHAREST—In a macabre climax to elaborate funeral services over the gold casket of Cornelieu Zelea Codreanu, the Iron Guard's "martyred captain," every one of the 30 Iron Guardists who participated in the prison assassinations of 64 persons high in King Carol's former regime were reported reliably Saturday night to have "committed suicide."

At the same time, a diplomatic communication reaching strife-torn Bucharest said revolution had broken out among the 4,000,000 inhabitants of Bessarabia, the territory Rumania ceded to Russia last June 27. Wide-spread deaths and injuries were reported there.

"Mass Suicide Pact"

The 30 Iron Guards who broke into Jilava prison this week and began their revenge blood purge against those whom they held responsible for Codreanu's death two years ago Saturday were said to have "taken revolvers from a table and put bullets through their hearts after making a mass suicide pact."

Comparative calm reigned all day throughout Rumania, but nearly 100,000 Iron Guards headed Saturday night for Alba-Julia, ancient seat of Rumanian kings, where a demonstration for the return of

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VOICE FROM TOMB SPEAKS AT RITES

BUCHAREST —(AP)— After the golden casket of Corneliu Codreanu, Iron Guard "Martyr," was lowered into its sepulchre Saturday, the master of funeral rites announced dramatically to the mourners:

"Now we will hear the captain himself speak to his people from on high."

Immediately, from the depths of the tomb, came the voice of Codreanu:

"The Iron Guard must make sacrifices! The Iron Guard must endure all persecution, because in the end we shall be triumphant! Those who have persecuted us will be blasphemed by all generations which follow me."

It was a phonograph record of an old speech by Codreanu.

Dies Broadcast Is Set Monday Night

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Chairman Dies (D-Tex) of the House committee investigating un-American activities will deliver a radio speech Monday night entitled "My Report To The Nation," it was announced Saturday night. The speech will be broadcast by the NBC Blue network from 6:30 to 7 p.m.

Jap-Sino Peace Pact Is Seen As Gesture

CHUNGKING, China —(AP)— The peace pact signed by Japan and the Japanese-dominated government of Wang Ching-Wei at Nanking was described by spokesmen of the Chungking government as "a performance obviously for Japanese domestic consumption only."

"If this step would make any difference in China's ability to resist Japan," the spokesman said, "then the Japanese would have taken it long ago."

Crowd Won't Budge From Bombed Movie Till Villain Named

LONDON—(AP)—A bomb blew out the electric supply of a London movie theater Friday night while the audience was sitting on the edge of the seats watching a murder mystery thriller.

The manager got up on the stage and told the audience the rest of the movie could not be shown.

The audience refused to go home until he told them who had committed the murder.

Horses Now Living In France's Maginot Line

Alsatians Turning Against Vichy, But Revolt Spreads In Other Areas Of France

By CHARLES S. FOLTZ, Jr.

BASEL, Switzerland — (AP) — Horses are living in the Maginot Line and the stock of the Vichy government is lower, perhaps, in Alsace than in any other part of France, travelers from the "lost province" reported Saturday night.

Alsatian newspapers, publishing an announcement of the German security police, warn of "protective custody for saboteurs and greasy sparrows," and cite these examples:

Three Alsatians taken into "protective custody" for trying to break up a public meeting of the Nazi party.

A factory worker and a woodcutter taken into "acute custody" —apparently one grade tighter than the "protective" variety—because they "besmeared a public building with placards hostile to Germany."

The Germans, despite such occasional trouble, seem to have a comparatively easy time running Alsace.

French speaking inhabitants who left their homes before the armistice or have since been ordered out by the Germans, are, of course, vocal against the German occupation. The average German-speaking Alsatian peasant, however, is busy on his farm, fighting a battle against weeds of undergrowth.

Fortifications of the Maginot Line are serving as stables and barns and, in some cases, even as homes for those whose farmhouses were blasted away by the war.

Even the Alsatians who most favored the French are disgusted now with what they say is the Vichy government's lack of interest in their cause.

CAMACHO IS INAUGURATED TODAY AT 11

New Chief Is Facing Difficult Task

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top in an era when politically ambitious young men made their way by fighting in the nation's frequent rebellions. He seemed to have a political instinct right at the outset, for he always fought on the winning side.

Still A Soldier

Today, squat, sturdy and heavy in the girth, he is still fundamentally a soldier, but he is ready to tackle any political or economic issue.

As minister of national defense under Cardenas, Avila Camacho in two years won prominence for modernizing the army and making it one of the finest educational institutions in Mexico. Schools were established at which ambitious soldiers could even obtain degrees in medicine, engineering and law.

This emphasis of a soldier on education did not surprise the general's intimate friends. They knew that one of his principal recreations was reading.

Is Well Read

His library is stocked with books in Spanish, French and English, all of which he reads although he does not speak English. He published a Spanish translation of a French army officer's book, "The Education of An Army In a Democracy."

In his spacious home in Mexico City's most fashionable section, Lomas De Chapultepec, Mexico's new chief executive turns to history or economics when he wants to relax with a book.

In the midst of his public responsibilities, Avila Camacho has always found time for polo. He plays a hard game, but his goal rating is low. His other principal recreation is billiards.

Wastes No Words

He converses fluently, but to the point without waste of words. At his first mass press interview, 15 foreign correspondents were unanimous in appreciation of the aptness and frankness of his answers, which nonetheless were shrewd in what they left unsaid.

The general's wife is a distinguished beauty from Jalisco State whom he married 20 years ago. Their marriage has been childless, but they recently adopted a young boy.

When not in the city the family lives on a small ranch outside the capital where Avila Camacho raises blooded horses. The general drinks sparingly and seldom plays cards.

Avila Camacho's arrival at the presidency, like that of most Mexican presidents, climaxes a journey marked by much fighting and by steady loyalty to the governments that so frequently called on him to crush rebellions.

BUSINESS MAY BREAK RECORD

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include possible wage increases, coupled with continued high level of demand, are expected to hold commodity prices at present or moderately high levels for some time to come."

Wall Street Bothered

Wall Street appeared to be having its difficulties, just as business men were, in assessing the scores of wages, cost and profit problem.

Again this week share prices, on the average, showed a modest decline while industrial activity went on to new peaks for such significant indices as automobile production, home construction, power output and freight movement.

But stock prices, as measured by the average of 60 leading issues, are 16 per cent below the top made at the beginning of this year, and have risen only 18 per cent from the market bottom made in June.

"Business Week" offered one explaination, when it said:

"Business men hold 'suspect' the current high level of industrial activity—not so much because they think this is just a transitory advance in business, but rather because they fear it will not yield profits. . . . The feeling is that higher taxes will cut into corporate profits and in that way render nugatory the increase in the volume of business."

REVOLT FLARES IN RUMANIA

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northern Transylvania from Hungary is planned for Sunday.

(Reports reaching the Hungarian frontier said the Iron Guard may be at the beginning of a bloody "total revenge" for the slaying of Codreanu. These dispatches said the country was on the verge of civil war.)

Armies On March

The tramp of marching feet echoed through Bucharest from dawn until far in the night as almost the entire Iron Guard membership turned out to bury Codreanu and his 13 slain lieutenants.

Iron Guard officials estimated some 150,000 green-shirted men and women were in the procession, led by Premier General Ion Antonescu, Vice Premier Horia Sima, and the German, Italian and Spanish ministers.

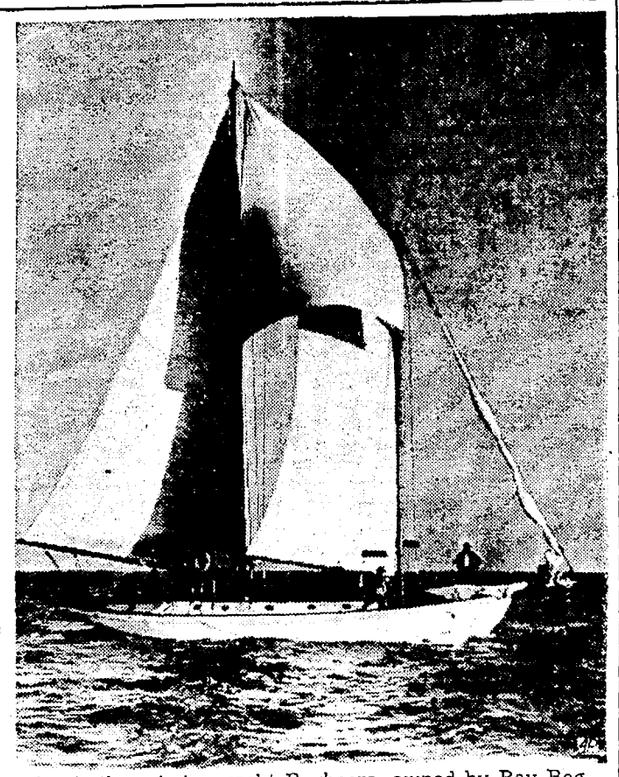
Although King Mihai was represented only by an army officer, Adolf Hitler and Benito Mussolini sent two dignitaires each. (Mihai was reported in border dispatches to have fled Bucharest as a result of the week's disorders.)

RETURN FROM CONVENTION

Rev. and Mrs. Joe Amerine, Mrs. L. V. Miller, Twila and Kenneth Miller, and Nellie Pearl Berry have returned from Dallas where they attended the Training Union convention there.

The Missing Yacht Bagheera And Her Owner

BROWNSVILLE—Ray D. Boggess, Houston finance company executive, is shown above Saturday morning at Brownsville airport following his arrival here by plane from Victoria, Mexico. Boggess, lost three days without food and water in the wilds of Laguna Madre Island, was brought here by Capt. G. "Pop" Gaither of Houston and B. G. Eubank of Brownsville. He left Saturday afternoon by plane for Houston with Capt. Gaither and Kenneth Boggess, his son.



This is the missing yacht Bagheera, owned by Ray Boggess of Houston, Tex., after the yacht was buffeted 135 miles down the Mexican coast by strong winds, three members of the Boggess party set out for shore in a skiff; the skiff capsized and Boggess went to their aid in a life raft, All reached shore, leaving W. B. Nolan aboard. Nolan was later taken off by a U. S. destroyer. Boggess was finally found and was in Brownsville Saturday. (See next picture.)

Goucher College Students Say Co-Eds Can Dress For $135 Per Year—Maybe That's Why You Never Hear Of It

BALTIMORE —(AP)— You have the word of Goucher College students that today's co-ed can get by on $135 per year for clothes. And, if papa spends more than $1,400 a year to keep darling daughter respectable, it's "just waste."

The figures are a practical answer to the question: what does it cost to clothe a co-ed?

A group of students measured the wardrobe outflow from their handbags in a clothing-budget research project. Results:

A girl can dress "adequately" on an average of $135 for her four college years.

She can dress "liberally" on $334.88.

And no queen can touch her for $1,400. That buys all this and the "heavenly," too, and there's no point in spending more.

In the $335 "liberal" budget, they reported, the main item is $69.50 for dresses. Coats and jackets cost $55.03. Cleaning and repair bills of $42.25 were the third largest expenditure.

Those hats cost $14.

Other costs were: Footwear, $30.90; suits, $13.33; blouses and skirts, $5.62; skirts an dpinafores, $6.66, sweaters, $8.75; sportswear for riding, tennis, swimming, etc., $22.20; undergarments and lounging clothes, $28.75; accessorics, $17.97.

That's average expense, they explained, with any item's cost divided by its length of life. An $80 coat lasting four years means $20 a year. It's supposed to last four years. Well . . . that's what the girls said.

FEAR SNATCH OF ARMY PAY

Payroll Robbery Is Said Plotted

SALINAS, Calif—(AP)—A warning of a plot to steal the $440,000 payroll at Fort Ord brought out as many guns and guards as if an invader were threatening.

Sheriff Alex Bordges was advised by Los Angeles police to be on the lookout for a neatly dressed, swarthy man with accomplices carrying golf bags to conceal machine guns. Other warnings went to the army encampment, teeming with new activities.

The army, the sheriff's staff, city police, military police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation hastily dispatched extra guards to watch the money, which arrived in cash from San Francisco to meet the big monthly payroll for the Seventh Division troops, SRA and WPA workers.

Armed patrols cruised on adjacent roads. Army men in plain clothes, carrying rifles, walked up and down the lines of troops and civilians standing before the pay windows.

LOAN TO CHINA OKAYED BY US

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ment as between American and Chinese currencies." Presumably, it will be used to bolster the sagging Chinese currency.

Along with his statement, the chief executive made public a letter to him from Jesse H. Jones, federal loan administrator.

Jones said that in connection with the repayment of the loans, the Metals Reserve Company, a subsidiary of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation was arranging for additional purchases of wolframite, antimony and tin from China to the value of $60,000,000. Jones added that China is "up to her schedule" in deliveries of wood oil and tin to this country in repayment of previous loans amounting ot $25,000,000.

NEW TREATY IS COMPLETE SURRENDER TO JAPANESE

NANKING, China—(AP)—A "peace" treaty signed Saturday by Wang Ching-Wei and the Japanese overlords who recognize him as president of a national government of China threatens to end China's existence as an independent nation if it ever can be carried into practical effect, informed foreigners said Saturday night.

They asserted it was tantamount to complete surrender to domination by Japan—which, however, has yet to crush the government and armies of Chiang Kai-Shek (which both Britain and the United States will continue to recognize.)

Although the treaty proclaims an end to the 40-months-old Chinese war and the beginning of an era of military and economic cooperation between Wang and Japan, the Japanese expect Chiang to continue the fight.

With a few quick strokes of his writing brush, Wang signed away, insofar as he has the power to do so—economic rights of tremendous importance, and turned over to continued Japanese military occupation large areas of China while giving, also, "legal recognition" to Japanese-sponsored Manchoukuo.

Lactic Acid Hikes Female Offspring

CHICAGO—(AP)—Dr. E. Roberts of the University of Illinois told the American Society of Animal Production Saturday the use of lactic acid had been found effective in increasing the proportion of the number of female offspring in animals and that sodium bicarbonate increased the proportion of males.

U.S. SALES TAX TURNED DOWN

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through additional treasury borrowing, with an attendant increase in the present $49,000,000 debt limitation.

When March 15 income tax returns are tabulated along with the January returns from corporations, definite information would be available on revenues from present taxes. Estimates could be made on prospective income for the next year.

Congress then would know how much, if any, additional revenue would be required to balance the ordinary budget. In the light of these facts, it would consider the question of raising sufficient revenues to meet not only these ordinary expenses but to amortize the extraordinary defense outlays over a period of future years.

BOGGESS IS FLOWN HERE

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armed only with a hunting knife, walked 50 miles through the desolate Mexican coastline country before finding help last Wednesday at La Pesca, a fishing village at the mouth of the Sota La Marina river.

His partially bald head burned to a bright crimson, Boggess told how he braved the merciless Mexican sunshine by day and the forays of wolves by night during his harrowing experience.

Wolves Don't Attack

"The wolves would come right up to me at night, but they never attacked," he said.

From La Pesca Boggess caught a ride on a peddler's truck to Victoria Thursday evening and arrived there Friday at noon. He was brought here in a plane by Capt. E. G. "Pop" Gaither of Houston and B. G. Eubank of Brownsville.

Timid Draftee Says 'Not Mad At Nazis'

CHICAGO —(AP)— Policeman Milton Bass said Saturday that Thomas Reed had admitted that he failed to register for selective service and had offered this explanation:

"I'm not mad at Germany."

Line Forms As Eggs On Sale In London

LONDON—(AP)—Egg-hungry Londoners formed a queue a quarter of a mile long at a Woolwich market Saturday when it became known that a dealer had English eggs for sale. The dealer, who appeared to have an ample stock, sold the eggs at fourpence (about seven cents) each.

Captain John C. Townley of the great British liner Queen Elizabeth, met his wife on a World war transport on which she was serving as a nurse and he as an officer.

WEATHER

(Official U. S. Weather Bureau Forecast)

THE VALLEY: Mostly cloudy, colder Sunday. Monday partly cloudy and colder. Fresh shifting winds becoming northerly Sunday.

ARIZONA: Fair Sunday and Monday except partly cloudy with occasional scattered showers over mountains southeast portion Sunday. Little change in temperature.

NEW MEXICO: Partly cloudy extreme south portion and scattered cloudiness along central mountain range and Continental Divide Sunday. Otherwise generally fair Sunday and Monday. Colder east portion Sunday night.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy Sunday with scattered showers extreme southeast portion. Monday generally fair. Colder south portion Sunday night.

EAST TEXAS: Mostly cloudy, showers in east portion, colder Sunday. Monday partly cloudy, colder in southeast portion. Fresh shifting winds on the coast, becoming northerly Sunday.

KANSAS: Fair and colder Sunday; Monday, fair, somewhat warmer west portion.

OKLAHOMA: Fair and colder, much colder east and south portions Sunday; Monday, fair, coldest southeast, warmer Panhandle.

The Tides

The tides for Sunday: high tides at 2:24 a.m. and 6:18 p.m. Low tides at 10:19 a.m.

STATION	Highest last 24 hours	Lowest last Night	Precipitation (inches)
Abilene	67	50	.00
Albuquerque	51	53	.00
Albany, N. Y.	36	30	.00
Atlanta	59	33	.00
Boston	37	19	.03
Chicago	30	20	.00
Cincinnati	48	31	.00
Cleveland	35	24	.02
Corpus Christi	68	63	.02
Del Rio	63	52	.00
Denver	57	34	.00
Detroit	35	25	.03
Dodge City	60	37	.00
El Paso	52	37	.00
Fort Smith	62	46	.00
Fort Worth	65	52	.00
Galveston	70	62	.01
Havre, Mont.	22	9	.02
Huron	20	15	.12
Jacksonville	62	35	.00
Los Angeles	81	57	.00
Memphis	61	50	.00
Miami	76	68	.00
Mobile	62	46	.01
New Orleans	66	55	.00
New York City	42	37	.00
Norfolk	52	43	.00
North Platte	53	29	.00
Oklahoma City	58	44	.00
Palestine	67	60	.01
Phoenix	73	47	.00
Pittsburgh	37	23	.02
Salt Lake City	50	38	.00
San Antonio	65	58	.00
Sheridan	47	32	.05
Shreveport	69	60	.00
Tampa	77	60	.00
Washington	50	29	.00
Williston	12	0	.11

FRUIT STATIONS	Highest	Lowest	Precipitation (inches)
—TEXAS—			
Brownsville (City)	75	66	.00
Brville Airport	78	63	.00
Harlingen	73	65	.00
Raymondville	71	63	.00
Mission	68	61	.00
Falfurrias	71	63	.00
Carrizo Springs	68	53	.00
—FLORIDA			
Barrow	75	59	.00
Belle Glade	80	63	.00
Eustis	67	51	.00
Fort Myers	82	62	.00
Gainesville	64	46	.00
Hastings	67	41	.00
Orlando	68	52	.00
—CALIFORNIA— November 29, 1940.			
Oroville	65	40	.00
Salinas	78	40	.00
Lindsay	68	32	.00
Santa Barbara	80	45	.00
Riverside	85	40	.00
Escondido	83	41	.00
Imperial	78	38	.00
* DEL MAR	67	54	

HOUSE PROBES LENDING LAW

Insurance Practice To Be Penalized?

AUSTIN —(AP)— A committee of the Texas House of Representatives Saturday recommended penal punishment for finance companies that require purchases of property to buy insurance through the finance company or its representative as a requisite of a loan.

The group, named at the last general session of the legislature to investigate fire insurance rates and procedure of the state insurance commission, also recommended penal punishment for associations of insurance agents, organized legally for the purpose of advancing insurance as an institution, from soliciting, writing or issuing policies and retaining commissions for distribution among the membership.

Modern Miracle

Volunteer Fireman Is Saved By Bricks

MADERA, Calif.—(AP)—Given up for dead by fellow firemen who saw him plunge into the center of the blazing Madera theatre when its roof collapsed, Owen Barr, 28, escaped almost unhurt—because a wall of bricks fell on him.

Clyde Hammond, 21, on the roof with Barr, was carried to his death. The two, volunteer firemen, were helping fight the fire which razed Madera's largest film house and swept through five adjoining shops.

The startling sound of a man's voice, coming from a pile of bricks in the fiery pit of the wrecked movie house, led rescuers to Barr four hours after the roof had collapsed.

Mexico To Improve Its Radio Service

MEXICO CITY —(AP)— Extensive modernization and improvement of the government wireless system is now under way, the federal department of mails and telegraphs announced.

Construction of 10 new radio transmitting stations and four emergency power plants in various parts of the republic will be included in the program, the government said.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

EDINBURG—O. C. Hollis, manager of the Kreidler Funeral home here, underwent a minor operation Saturday at the County-City hospital.

Britain Asks Help Of US In Blockade

LONDON (Sunday)—(AP)—A plea to America to tighten and extend export controls "so as to insure that no vital materials get through to the enemy" was voiced tonight by Hugh Dalton, minister of economic warfare and master of Britain's blockade of Germany and Italy.

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ANNUAL STAFF IS SELECTED

Joan Hagar Is Editor Of 'El Sendero'

SAN BENITO—Staff of the San Benito high school annual has been selected, it was announced Saturday by Miss Otelia Graham, faculty sponsor, and plans for its many attractive features are nearing completion. Subscriptions now total 175. W. W. Tenney is faculty sponsor for business part of the book.

The annual will be called the traditional "El Sendero" instead of "The Dagger" as it has been known for the past several years. Annuals were called "El Sendero" when first published from the early twenties to 1936.

Staff members are: Bill Symonds, business manager; John Parmer associate manager; Leonard McKenzie, second associate manager; Joan Hagar, editor-in-chief; Mary Lou Sweeney, associate editor; Billy Joyce Lockmiller, second associate editor; Tol Boswell, Jimmy Jolly, senior photographers; Betty Erwin, Richard Roiz, junior photographers; Freddie Sandmeier, sophomore photographer; Joyce Jean Brady, Flora Mae Woodmansee, art editors; Bill Bone, senior copy editor; June Gudmanson, junior copy editor; Nona Foster, senior title editor; Dick Dodson, junior title editor; Billy Hirsch, printing editor; Bonnie Lou Bryant, Bertha Chapa, Gladys Parker, typists; Virginia Alewine, Ivel Goldsmith, senior, Lucia Alvarez, junior and Josephine Eligondo, sophomore, construction editors.

Not The Champ

Antares Is Exceeded By Other Star

PASADENA, Calif.—(AP)—A sophomore student at University of California, Los Angeles, has exploded the accepted belief that Antares—huge as it is—is the largest of the stars.

Instead, he said, it is fourth biggest—far overshadowed by the 690,000,000 miles diameter of Ras Algethi in the constellation Hercules.

George H. Herbig, 20, who acts as guide and photographer at a Los Angeles observatory in his spare time and hopes some day to become an astronomer, made his discoveries in a series of studies with Dr. Adrian van Maanen at Mt. Wilson Observatory.

Blast Kills Miner In Oklahoma Shaft

McALESTER, Okla. — (AP) — A dynamite blast killed Dave Keener, 54-year-old shot-firer at the Mullen Coal Company's bituminous mine two miles west of here.

Searchers found Keener's body in room 37 of the 9th entry, 1900 feet below ground, at 10:10 a.m. They reported Keener apparently realized he was going to get caught by the blast. The position of the body indicated he had made an unsuccessful attempt to dash from the room.

Nazi Peace Feeler Is Being Predicted

LONDON—(AP)—Lord Queenborough predicted Saturday in a message to the Society of St. George, of which he is president, that as a result of the Axis setback in the Mediterranean and pressure of the British blockade "Germany may well shortly put out a (peace) feeler."

"They can be made through only one of two intermediaries, the Vatican or the White House," the conservative peer said.

Jap General Killed In Airplane Crash

TOKYO—(AP)—The war office disclosed Saturday that Major General Nobuichi Kusunoki, head of aviation headquarters at the war office, and five other army men were killed Friday when their plane crashed on a mountain in a dense fog while circling over Kaishu, Korea. Kusunoki was military attache at the Washington Embassy in 1922.

Texas Oilman's Wife Gets $3300 Alimony

DALLAS—(AP)—Mrs. L. A. Joiner, former wife of C. M. (Dad) Joiner, discoverer of the East Texas oil field, was granted judgment of $3,300 for alleged back payments under a divorce separation contract Saturday in district court.

Under terms of the contract Mrs. Joiner received $28,000 in cash and was to get $500 a month for the remainder of her life.

WAITRESS SHOWS UP PEDDLER WHO CLAIMS IS DEAF

BLOOMINGTON, Ind.—(AP)—The peddler handed the waitress a little card and a package of needles.

"These the only kind you have?" she asked.

"No, I have a lot more in my basket," said the peddler. Then he turned and fled the premises with all the speed he could muster.

He'd forgotten that the card said he was deaf and dumb.

AAA LEADERS MAKE TALKS

Holmgreen Speaker At Meet Here

HARLINGEN — Valley growers and business men heard an explanation of the government crop control programs from E. N. Holmgreen, head of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration in Texas, at a meeting Friday night in Fair Park auditorium.

Holmgreen spoke on the programs in general and another speaker was Cliff Day, also of the State AAA office.

Holmgreen was guest to Walter W. Housewright and a group of other San Benito business men Friday evening at San Benito before returning to Harlingen for his address.

The AAA chief was due to attend a barbecue at the McCormick ranch near Brownsville Saturday noon and to make a general inspection of the Valley.

GREEK'S NAVY NOW IN ACTION

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ministry said the country's air raid casualties totaled 604 dead, including 74 women, 152 children. It placed the injured at 1,070, including 425 women and 205 children. In all, the ministry said 1,200 homes had been destroyed and countless others were made uninhabitable.

ENTIRE 11TH ARMY THROWN INTO WAR

ROME—(AP)—Premier Mussolini's entire 11th army was reported Saturday to have been sped across the Adriatic and thrown into the front lines of the Albanian battlefront in less than 10 days, leading to the belief that transport planes were used to ferry part of these picked troops.

This army, formed only three weeks ago, has seen its first action in the past three days and is playing a big part in holding the Greeks in some sectors and is on the offensive in others, dispatches from the front reported.

Electric Eyes May Guide Latest Bomb

NELSON, British Columbia—(AP)—A new type of directional aerial bomb originated by a 14-year-old Nelson boy, Allan Ramsden, is being closed studied by the inventions board at Ottawa.

Young Ramsden conceived the idea of a bomb which through a photo-electric cell, might be self-directed by light action when dropped on a target from a bombing plane.

Negro Will Preach Despite Injunction

OMAHA—(AP)—Rev. James Crowder of the Negro St. Luke's Baptist church, said he planned to preach despite an injunction action.

Two trustees of the church asked the district court to bar the minister on the ground that he had been discharged three times. Rev. Crowder said "there isn't a word of truth in it."

Tommy Corcoran In Houston After Rest

HOUSTON—(AP)—Tommy Corcoran, one of President Roosevelt's unofficial advisors, was in Houston after a vacation in Texas and Mexico.

The Toledo, O., birthplace and boyhood home of Walter F. Brown, former postmaster general has been acquired by a church as the site for a new recreation building.

COURT DOCKET HAS 22 SUITS

Grand Jurors To Be Chosen Monday

BROWNSVILLE — Twenty-two civil suits, including seven bankruptcy hearings, will be heard in the Southern district Federal court which will open here Monday.

Many criminal cases will also be heard before Judge McMillan of Houston, who will take the bench for the December term in place of Judge James V. Allred.

Grand and petit juries will be chosen at 10 a.m. Monday.

Bankruptcy Cases

Bankruptcy cases to be heard include:

For December 10—City of Lyford, Cameron County Water Improvement District No. 2, City of Brownsville, Cameron County Water Improvement District No. 15 of Harlingen, Hidalgo County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 and City of Edinburg, all petitions for confirmation of composition of debt readjustment. For December 11—Willacy County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1, petition for submitting plan of composition.

Civil Cases

Civil cases include:

Mrs. Bessie D. Owsley vs. Cameron county water control and improvement district No. 7, suit on past due bonds and interest coupons of respondent district owned and held by plaintiff.

Rio Grande Valley Citrus Exchange vs. F. E. Nichols, inspector of the wage and hour division of the department of labor, application for an injunction enjoining enforcement of the wage and hour bill. This case has been passed pending action on a similar suit in Florida.

Oil Alleged Taken

A. Orive, Jr., et al vs Phillips Petroleum Company and Barnsdall Oil Company, suit to recover damages alleged to have been sustained by plaintiffs for oil taken from land by defendants.

Sterling R. Thornton vs. R. T. Daniels, suit for damages for false arrest and encarceration.

Edinburg Consolidated Independent School District vs. United States of America, suit to clear cloud to title of district to certain lands, caused by filing of tax lien under internal revenue laws.

Carson Seniority

H. E. Carson vs. Missouri Pacific Lines (Gulf Coast Lines), suit to establish his seniority and for wage loss by reason of being wrongfully deprived of employment.

Mrs. Chloie Woody vs. Associated Indemnity Corporation, suit to set aside an award of the industrial accident board and to recover certain sums of money by plaintiff alleged to be due her from defendant as compensation under an insurance policy.

City Of La Feria

S. H. Ransom, Jr., vs. City of La Feria, et al, suit to enforce terms of judgments heretofore entered against defendants in favor of plaintiff. Case set or December 10.

United States of America vs. Edward E. Frazier and Jessie Frazier, suit on a note given to Farm Security Administration.

Real Estate Sale

R. L. Stout and Ida M. Stout vs. Fidelity Investment Company, suit to annul sale of real estate to cancel warranty deed and promissory note and to recover money paid by plaintiffs on said sale.

Louise S. Corbusier and Harold C. Corbusier, vs. Cameron county, suit on past due interest coupons appertaining to bonds of defendant county.

Suit For Damages

Esteban Loya vs. E. B. Wells and A. E. Graut, suit for damages for alleged conversion by defendants of plaintiffs 1931 model Chevrolet coach.

United States of America vs. L. C. Delp, Matie Delp, Roscoe Delp and Dorothy Dewald Delp, suit on note under title 1, National Housing Act.

American Fruit Growers

American Fruit Growers, Inc., vs. Arthur Beckwith, suit to recover balance due on notes of the defendant in favor of plaintiff, principal, interest and attorney's fees.

B. F. Bullis vs. Universal Credit Company and George Mitchell, suit to recover $500 alleged equity in truck alleged to have been converted by defendant company; $240 for conversion of fruit, $1500 injury to reputation and $2500 exemplary damages.

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Handel's 'Messiah' To Be Presented Sunday At 1st Methodist Church

10TH ANNUAL CHOIR OPERA GIVEN HERE

3 Choirs Of Valley Make Up Ensemble

HARLINGEN—The tenth annual presentation of Handel's "Messiah" will be given Sunday night at 7:45 o'clock in the First Methodist Church in Harlingen. The local choir will be assisted by the choir from the Brownsville Methodist Church and by members of the San Benito Choral Club.

The impressive ensemble, strengthened by the visiting artist soloists, indicates that the Christmas oratorio this year will be the outstanding musical performance of the year, say those who have attended rehearsals.

Ormesher Director

David L. Ormesher is director. He had directed each of the presentations of "Messiah" by the choir for ten seasons.

The "Messiah," the most famous oratorio ever written, was first presented in Dublin, Ireland, in 1743, with Handel himself conducting. It depicts a prophecy, life, and death of Christ in impressive choral and solo music.

Contralto Parts

Mrs. J. Roscoe Golden, head of the music department in Southern Methodist University at Dallas, will sing the contralto parts. She has sung this role for several seasons in Dallas, with the Dallas Symphony Orchestra playing the accompaniment.

Paul Riley, head of the music department at College of Arts and Industries, Kingsville, will sing the baritone role.

Tenor Roles

Grady Whittle, band director at Lyford and well-known Valley soloist, will sing the tenor roles; and Mrs. Stanley Crockett, who has sung the soprano arias several times for the First Methodist Choir, will have the soprano lead.

Miss Virginia Perry will be at the Stuart Memorial organ and Mrs. Darrell Jackson and Mrs. Lyle Wheeler will be at the two pianos.

Begins At 7:45 p.m.

The program will begin promptly at 7:45 p.m., preceded by a time-honored procession, the choir using a carol as a processional hymn. The music-loving public is invited to attend.

Arias and choruses from the "Messiah" to be sung includes:

1. Overture
3. Every Valley—Tenor
4. And the Glory—Chorus
5. Thus saith the Lord—Baritone
6. But who may abide—Intro. then to F. Page 32
8. Behold: A virgin—Contralto 4
9. O Thou that tellest—Chorus
11. The people that walked—Baritone
12. For unto us—Chorus
13. Pastoral Symphony—Instrumental
14. There were shepherds—soprano
15. And the Angel—soprano
16. And suddenly—soprano
17. Glory to God—Chorus
18. Rejoice Greatly—soprano
19. Then shall the eyes—Contralto
20. He shall feed his Flock—Contralto
22. Behold the Lamb of God—Chorus
23. He was despised—Contralto to letter E Page 111
31. He was cut off—Tenor
32. But Thou didst not leave—Tenor
47. Behold, I tell you a mystery—Baritone
48. The Trumpet shall sound to Page 219—Baritone
46. Since by man came death—Chorus
45. I know that my Redeemer—Soprano
44. Hallelujah—Chorus

Model Builders

Valley Meet Is Set For Harlingen

HARLINGEN—Valley-wide meeting of model plane enthusiasts will be held from 2 to 5 p. m. here Sunday, with the meet scheduled to be held at the Harlingen airport.

Garver Murray of Harlingen urged full attendance from over the Valley even if the wind is blowing too hard, for in such event, the modelers will organize a Rio Grande Valley Gas Model Association in place of sending planes aloft.

Baptist Church Club Holds Play Meeting

HARLINGEN—The Companions club of the First Baptist church met this week at the residence of Miss Billy Jean Brewster where a number of games were played. The next meeting will be at home of Miss Joyce Herron. Those present were Miss Lola Fae McCall, Miss Joyce Herron, Miss Betty Jean Whitworth, Miss Marian Carlson, Mrs. W. A. Holt, and the hostess.

New State Highway Map Being Printed

AUSTIN—(AP)—Highway department engineers announced Saturday a new statewide highway map for free distribution after January 1 was in preparation.

Copies of the spring edition map are exhausted and no more will be printed in the interest of economy and because the winter edition with more recent data will soon be available.

EMPLOYES TO MEET

HARLINGEN—Employes of the Edwin Flato Company will hold meeting Monday at the Reese-Wilmond Hotel in Harlingen.

Young Townsend Speaks At Brownsville Meeting

Robert Townsend, son of Dr. Francis E. Townsend, founder of the Townsend Pension Plan, is shown above at El Jardin hotel in Brownsville Saturday after his return from a hunting trip in Mexico. Young Townsend will speak at a meeting of El Jardin Townsend Club members at the El Jardin community house Sunday at 2 p. m. A box lunch will precede the meeting. He came here with L. W. Jeffrey of Chicago, vice-president of the National Townsend organization, and W. W. Stevens of Houston, organizer.

BROWNSVILLE—L. W. Jeffrey of Chicago, vice-president of the National Townsend organization, is shown above at El Jardin hotel here Saturday morning after return from a hunting trip in Mexico with Robert Townsend, son of Dr. Francis E. Townsend, founder of the Townsend Pension Plan. W. W. Stevens of Houston, organizer, who accompanied the couple on their visit, and Mrs. Stevens, are shown in the background.

Camp Bowie Building Now On Boom; 10,000 Carpenters Drawing $337,720 On 36th Division's New Quarters

BROWNWOOD—(AP)—Facilities for the 36th Division, first unit to move to Camp Bowie, is now 85 per cent complete. The payroll this week was $337,720 with around 10,000 men employed.

The Brownwood Chamber of commerce has been asked to secure 700 acres of land adjoining the camp on the south. The land is to be used for facilities of corps troops that will be assigned here. It is understood here that the 5,000 draftees necessary to raise the 36th Division from its present strength of 13,000 to the full strength of 18,000 is to be processed here instead of at reception and replacement centers, and will be quartered on the present camp site and not in the new area.

Negro troops to be stationed here will be quartered on the present reservation. Thirty-four buildings and 381 tent frames have been constructed for Negroes in the northern part of the present cantonment.

At present work has been started on 434 buildings and 3,800 tent frames at the camp. The tent frames are more than enough to house the 36th Division.

At the municipal airport, which is to be the base of the 111th Observation Squadron, no work has been done on the hangar, but mess halls, bath houses, tent frames for officers and men who will be quartered there, are nearing completion.

A detachment of 18 officers and 50 men of the medical corps are now stationed at the camp.

Quartermaster corps troops have unloaded more than 200 carloads of camp supplies, food, and uniforms.

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NEW MINISTER IS INSTALLED

Presbyterian Rites Sunday Morning

HARLINGEN—Rev. G. W. Crofoot will be installed pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at the 11 o'clock hour of worship Sunday. A commission from the Presbytery of Western Texas will be present and officiate at this service. Rev. A. Thomas Dyal, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Mission, will preside and preach the sermon, using as his subject "The Eternal Impact."

Rev. Hugh Robertson, D.D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of San Benito, will propound the constitutional questions and deliver the charge to the congregation. Charles C. Bowie, a deacon in the San Benito Presbyterian Church, will deliver the charge to the pastor. Ruling elders E. W. Halstead from Mission and James Bowie from San Benito will complete the commission.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Challes will play the service, using for the prelude "Morning Prayer" by Mehul, "See the Conquering Hero Comes" by Handel for the offertory, and "This Is The Lord's Own Day" by Krutzer for the postlude. The choir under the leadership of Mr. William C. Black will sing "Rest in the Lord" by Heyser.

All groups will assemble for the evening worship at 6:45 p.m. After a brief praise service the pioneers and senior young people will go to their respective meetings and the adults will remain in the auditorium for the evening sermon which will be preached by the pastor. He will use as his subject "A Message to Today's Business Men."

Orville Carpenter Refused State Pay

AUSTIN, Tex.—(AP)—Comptroller George Sheppard revealed he had declined to issue a September pay warrant to Orville S. Carpenter on request of the attorney general who may ask the U. S. Supreme Court for a review of litigation on the question of whether state officeholders can receive state pay while in active military training.

The state Supreme Court ruled recently that Carpenter, who began military training on the state staff of the Texas National Guard while he was chairman-director of the unemployment compensation commission, was entitled to state pay.

Bodies Found; May Be Of Painter, Wife

MADRID — (AP) — Two bodies which, it is believed, may be those of the great Spanish painter, Diego Rodriguez de Silva y Velazquez, and his wife, were found by excavators in the Plaza de Ramales, Madrid, where the ancient church of San Juan once stood.

Velazquez' remains were buried in the Fuensalida vault of the church in 1660, and eight days later the body of his wife, Juana, was placed beside him. The French destroyed the church in 1811.

Britain May Check Resources In U. S.

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Great Britain soon will send a finance mission here for a thorough canvass of its holdings in the United States, it was learned here.

Informed persons said that the plan apparently grew out of the reaction to statements by Lord Lothian, the British ambassador, on his return from England that his country would need financial assistance very badly next year.

Motor Vessel Said Aground Near Here

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The coast guard reported that the motor vessel "Sturdy," 35-foot 12-tonner, was aground 60 miles south of Corpus Christi. The crew of four, the coast guard said, was safe.

The vessel is owned by the Overton-Menger Company of Corpus Christi, the guard said.

SLICK PAVING DUNKS DRIVER IN ICE-LIKE LAKE

CHICAGO — (AP) — When Miss Hazel Olson shoved on her brakes Thursday for a red light on a busy drive along Lake Michigan, her automobile—

Jumped the curb; slid across a sidewalk; angled over a grassy stretch; slipped through a five foot hedge opening; bounced down a flight of ten steps; skidded across another sidewalk; bumped down three more steps and dropped into the lake, coming to rest on a sunken rock.

Miss Olson was able to open the door of her submerged car and park policemen came to her rescue with a life preserver.

FBI STUDIES SPY HUNTING

English Methods To Be Scrutinized

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Methods evolved by Britain for fighting espionage and sabotage under wartime conditions are being studied by the Federal Bureau of Investigation for guiding in tightening the peacetime defenses against foreign agents in this country.

A two-man mission was sent to England several weeks ago, it was learned Saturday, to investigate the British methods at first hand.

The men, whose names were withheld by officials, will return about the first of the year. They will summarize their findings for use in the National Police Academy, FBI institution in which police officers from all sections of the country are given intensive three months courses in law-enforcement.

Data Is Useful

The information also will be useful, it was said, in the retraining courses which all special agents must take periodically and in revising instructions given to agents in charge of field offices.

Meanwhile, indications increased, in the aftermath of a White House conference, that the campaign against subversive activities would be carried forward hereafter in closer collaboration between the Dies committee and such law-enforcing agencies as the FBI.

Representatives Dies (D-Tex), who frequently has voiced criticism of the FBI's work, spent an hour talking with President Roosevelt Friday. While he flatly declined to disclose the nature of the conference, it was believed by some authorities that an effort was made to eliminate conflict between his committee and federeal agents.

Nazi Vessels Fight Off British Planes

BERLIN — (AP) — British torpedo planes attacked German steamers in the North Sea Friday afternoon, the German News Agency, DNB, reported.

The DNB account said heavy fire from warships accompanying the steamers finally forced the British planes to turn away without scoring any hits.

The planes were said to have fired their torpedoes at "hopeless distance" from their targets.

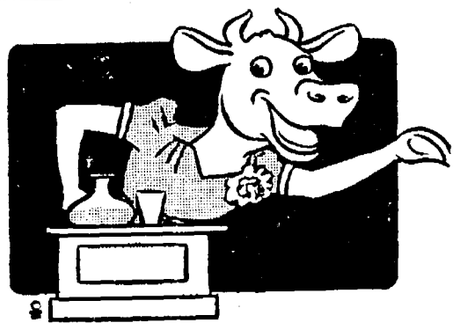
Aged Cattle Raiser Is Dead At Midland

MIDLAND, Tex. — (AP) — Stephen Mosby Francis, 79, widely known cattleman, died at his home here Saturday after a long illness. Funeral services will be conducted at 2:30 p.m. Sunday.

Francis engaged in all phases of ranching. Years ago he was one of the largest cattle shippers in this area.

Syrians Forbidden To Join Foreigners

DAMASCUS, Syria — (AP) — The high commissioner of this French mandated territory decreed Saturday heavy penalties upon cities and any Syrians who volunteer for service with foreign armies.



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60 TOURISTS NOW LISTED

Hostess Takes Data On All Visitors

HARLINGEN — Registration of winter visitors, which had increased to 60 at the tourist headquarters in the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel by Saturday, is a complicated business. Mrs. Walter Murray, hostess in charge of the chamber of commerce-sponsored clubroom, is trying to make it possible through registration, to be of service to every person visiting in Harlingen during the winter months.

The registration, for which there is no charge, lists the tourists according to registration date. On the book they sign, their names, home addresses and Harlingen addresses are listed. In a second book, Mrs. Murray lists them according to home state. And in still a third book, they are listed according to church affiliation or preference, lodge or other organization membership.

Tourists Friday enjoyed a bridge and domino party at the clubroom, first entertainment planned for them for the new tourist season. Some 17 winter visitors enjoyed the games, with Mrs. W. C. Cobb of Brainerd, Mich., winning ladies' high score. Men's high was taken by Mr. J. H. Light of Rockford, Ill., while high cut went to Mr. W. C. Cobb.

Tuesday, at 2 p.m., the winter visitors will leave the clubroom on a pleasure excursion through a number of private gardens and fruit groves in this sector. Following the excursion, they will be taken to the Presbyterian Church, where they will be guests at an open house given by the Presbyterian ladies.

A Christmas party for the tourists to be given by the Harlingen real estate board, was announced by J. J. Willingham Saturday. The party will be given about December 19. Willingham said, and probably will be staged at the Woman's Building.

St. Helena Oil

Roth Canvas To Hang At Sul Ross

HARLINGEN — The five-by-six-foot painting of St. Helena Canyon by Eleanor Roth of Harlingen which will be hung in the museum at Sul Ross College at Alpine, is on display in windows of the Central Power and Light Company.

The painting is an enlargement of the prize-winning picture she made at the summer art colony at Alpine. The enlarged painting will be shipped in about a week after it has dried thoroughly, she said.

"I feel that this painting is the best thing I have done," Mrs. Roth said Saturday.

Works of only two other Texas artists are being hung in the museum at Alpine.

Tom Vines Buys Old Hoch Estate Assets

HARLINGEN—The Hoch estate, consisting of the Home Furniture Company, was sold at administrator's sale here Friday. The furniture and merchandise was purchased by the Parker Auction Company, and the accounts were bought by Tom Vines.

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Girls Will Take It, Dish It Out, In Little Theatre's Dec. 9 Play

EDINBURG—Valley girls prove they can take it—and incidentally give it—in the hilarious hair pulling contest in "The Women," second production of the Valley Little Theatre to be presented at the Edinburg Junior College auditorium December 9.

Free-for-all can best describe the battle of the female sex staged as the comedy highlight of the show. The fight between Miriam Aarons, played by Annette Closner, and Sylvia Fowler, played by Margaret Brown, is more than realistic, Director Paul Moore claims with fervor.

In the Closner-Brown "Battle of the Century" the ladies prove how well they can dish it out. The fight occurs in Reno and begins with the discovery Miss Closner, there for a divorce, is going to marry the man whom Miss Brown is there to divorce. There is a hot exchange of words before the female fisticuff battle begins.

Other members of the cast of this entertaining comedy are: Arlen Kamlah, Connie Green, Shirley Fogelberg, Shirley Burke, Jean Rightor, Cordelia McMahan, Margare. Owens, Mildred Downs, Imogene Brennan, Clara Casberg, Marie Miller, Lucille Smith and Emmett Patton.

Latin Scouts

Two New Troops Are Organized Now

HARLINGEN — Two new Boy Scout troops for Latin-American youngsters have been organized this week, Ralph Cissne, Valley scout field executive, said here Saturday. In addition to one organization in Harlingen, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, another, to be called the Buena Vida troop, has been organized at Brownsville.

The new Brownsville troop is sponsored by the Buena Vida housing authority, Cissne said. Moises Carrasco is the scoutmaster, while J. T. Saturnino, A. Estrada and Ed J. Volkman form the troop committee. Scouts are Albert Walker, J. C. Sullivan, Carlos Garcia, LeRoy Gray, Gamaliel Mora, William Betz, Lionel Lopez and Rodolpho De La Paz.

Another Latin-American troop will be organized Wednesday afternoon in a meeting at La Feria, Cissne said.

CIVIC DINNER PLANS READY

Rowe Will Introduce Francis At McAllen

McALLEN—Homer W. Rowe has been designated by McAllen Chamber of Commerce President Van E. Cook to introduce Charles I. Francis, Houston attorney, when the latter speaks at the annual chamber membership dinner Tuesday at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

Francis' speech will feature the brief program at the informal dinner which gets under way at 7:30 p.m. W. M. Blanton, Houston chamber manager, will also give a brief address.

Five hundred copies of the chamber's annual report have been printed to be presented members at the banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nolen, in charge of ticket sales, said they expected to make their principal sales Monday. They reminded the city's women residents that they were invited to attend.

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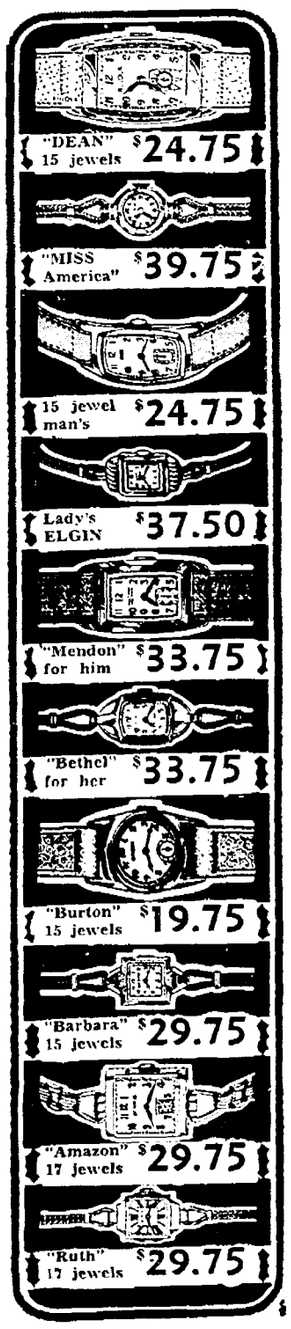

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FIRST VALLEY SPEECH MEET ON SCHEDULE

McAllen To Be Scene Of December Event

McALLEN—The first Rio Grande Valley debate, Speech and Drama institute will be held in McAllen Saturday, Dec. 7, under the supervision of the Interscholastic league of Texas, Don Irwin, McAllen High school instructor and director of the event, said Saturday.

Irwin said the event is designed to assist all teachers and students of speech with the various specific problems relative to the coming Interscholastic League events.

The debate program will be directed by Thomas Rousse, debate coach of the University of Texas, who will discuss debate judging as well as the 1941 debate topic. This program will consist largely of general round table discussion. "Bring your debate problems and talk them over," Irwin urged Valley teachers. O. M. Montgomery of Texas A. & I., Kingsville, former McAllen instructor, will speak on "The Rebuttal Speech."

Bedichek To Attend

Roy Bedichek, director of the Interscholastic League, will lead the declamation and extemporaneous speech division. Several extemporaneous speeches will be given and criticized. Also of interest in this locality will be a discussion of practical aids for the Spanish speaking contestant.

"Critic judging will be the most important feature of the drama division," Irwin said. The Campus Players of Edinburg Junior College will present "What Never Dies" by Percival Wilde under the direction of Mrs. Ruth Owings. This play will be critic-judged by F. L. Winship, director of speech activities of the league.

The program will start at 9 a.m., Dec. 7, with a general meeting in the junior high school auditorium. Supt. John H. Gregory of McAllen will extend a welcome to the visitors, followed by a talk by Bedichek on "The Interscholastic League."

Changes in speech contest rules will be outlined by Winship and William Doyle of McAllen will sing a solo. From 10 until noon a debate round table will be held in the rehearsal room of the junior high building. Montgomery will speak on rebuttal speeches. Thomas Rousse will discuss technical points in judging and will lead a discussion on the 1941 topic.

Auditorium Sessions

Declamation and extemporaneous speech will be discussed in the auditorium, with Bedichek speaking on "Why Speech Contests?" and Miss Margaret Brown of McAllen talking on Spanish speaking contestants. Extemporaneous speeches will be offered by the McAllen High school team, coached by Lloyd Garrison. Bedichek and Winship will offer criticism and discussions.

The one-act play group will meet at the auditorium from 1:15 to 3 p.m. Irwin will give thumbnail reviews on new plays, to be followed by the Campus Players' presentation of "What Never Dies." Winship will judge the play critically, followed by a group discussion. A reception at 3:30 p.m. will close the institute.

Mexico On Air

Inauguration To Be Broadcast

SCHENECTADY, N. Y.—(AP)—General Electric's short wave station KGEI in San Francisco will broadcast in Spanish the inaugural ceremonies of President-Elect Manuel Avila Camacho of Mexico Sunday.

The broadcast, directed to all Latin American countries, will be heard from 10:30 a. m. to noon, (CST).

Short wave station WGEA in Schenectady, operating on the same frequency as KGEI, will cancel its regular European broadcasts during that period to eliminate interference in reception.

Early Gets Apology From Negro Officer Following Incident

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Stephen T. Early, President Roosevelt's press secretary, made public a letter from James M. Sloan, New York Negro policeman, expressing regret for the "incident" in New York October 28, in which Sloan complained he was hurt while trying to prevent Early and reporters from boarding the President's train in Pennsylvania station.

"The misunderstanding was not your fault nor was it ours," Sloan wrote under date of November 22. He accepted an apology Early offered October 31 and said he wanted to "count the whole thing as an accident that happened void of all malice."

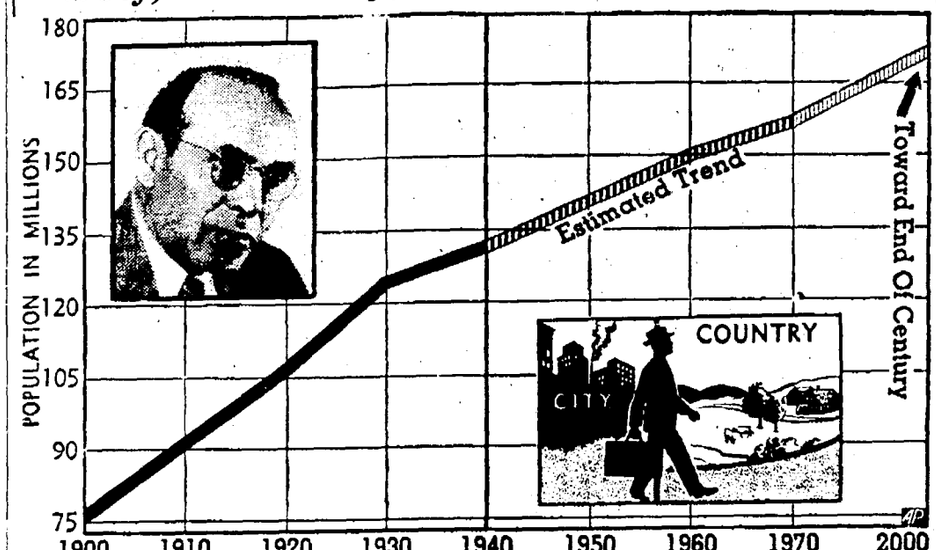
China Mission Work Subject Of Sermon

SAN BENITO—Guest speaker at the Sunday morning service at the First Baptist church will be Mrs. P. E. Mewshaw, formerly of San Benito, who will speak on Baptist missionary work in China in which she and Dr. Mewshaw were engaged for about six years.

Mrs. Mewshaw will address the congregation at the Baptist church in Brownsville Sunday night and will be principal speaker at the San Benito Baptist Woman's Missionary Union Monday and Tuesday. Dr. and Mrs. Mewshaw are now residing in Waco, Texas, where their daughters attend Baylor University.

Census Analyst Reports:

Our Future Citizens Will Go For Golf, Whiskey, Country Homes, Pets



Although the nation's population is expected to increase for the next six decades, Dr. Constantine Panunzio (inset), west coast sociologist, predicts a gradual tapering off and a peak of 175,000,000 by the year 2000.

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By SAM JACKSON
AP Feature Service Writer

LOS ANGELES—The report on the 1940 census may look like a bunch of figures to most people, but to the trained sociologists it will be an index to strictly human affairs in the years that lie ahead.

From the preliminary releases, Dr. Constantine Panunzio of the University of California at Los Angeles believe that he can tell Americans something of the pattern of life they face.

To postpone his weightier pronouncements for a moment, here are some of the random facts that he believes are in herent in the census findings:

There will be fewer play-grounds and more golf courses.

There will be less milk and more whiskey.

Beauty parlors will multiply.

The animal pet population of the cities will increase.

The expanding demand for school teachers will slow up or halt.

Taxes will go up.

More people will move from the cities to a healthier, happier life in the country.

The discontent among the more elderly part of the population is likely to increase.

Four Major Trends

These conclusions are drawn largely from the rapidly increasing age average in the nation, but that is only one of four major trends which Dr. Panunzio sees in the 1940 census. They are:

1 Our rate of population increase is going down rapidly.

2 The lower economic classes are contributing most to our population growth.

3 The growth of the city is slowing up.

4 Persons over 45 are forming an increasingly large percentage of the total population.

175,000,000 Top?

Our population as shown by the 1940 census is 131,409,881. The Los Angeles sociologist expects it to be—

141,000,000 in 1950.

150,000,000 in 1960.

157,000,000 in 1970.

Stationary at about 175,000,000 toward the end of the century.

The fact that low-income families produce the most children does not alarm Dr. Panunzio.

"The impression that this is an unhealthy situation does not rest on scientific fact," he said. "The 'common people' have at all times contributed at least their percentage of leadership of the country."

A Choice Of One

On the old-age question, Dr. Panunzio finds that as recently as 1870 America was almost entirely a young man's country, persons over 45 making up only 15.5 per cent of the population.

The present census shows them to constitute 24.4 per cent. The trend indicates that in a decade or so they will make up nearly a third of the population.

If business concerns won't hire persons over 45, he says, the rest of the population will simply have to chip in and support them.

Judge Of Divorce Court Finds There's Something New Under Sun; Man Will Support Mother-In-Law But Not Wife

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CHICAGO—(AP)—Judge Rudolph Desort thought he had heard everything that could be said in a divorce case—until Walter Appelt spoke up.

Appelt, defendant in divorce proceedings, said that he had a "sincere affection" for his mother-in-law and wanted to support her.

Judge Desort was so startled he asked Appelt to repeat it.

"In all my experience in the divorce court, that's the first tribute to a mother-in-law I've ever heard," said the judge.

'STOLEN' CAR IS ACTUALLY ONLY A BIT MISPLACED

McALLEN—George L. Martin of McAllen looked very rueful Saturday afternoon after a wide broadcast had been sent out for his supposedly stolen car.

Martin reported to city police at 10:30 a. m. that his car had been taken from its parking place on 15th street near the McAllen hotel. The keys were in the ignition, Martin said, the first time he had ever left the machine unlocked.

Police went to work, sending out notices to the Hidalgo bridge, the border patrol radio station, the sheriff's departments at Edinburg and Rio Grande City, and bridges at Rio Rico, Laredo and Roma.

Two hours later, Martin returned, saying he had found the car where he had parked it on the highway between Main and 15th streets. He had forgotten where it was parked.

Joe Sloan Is Named Mont Meta Manager

SAN BENITO—Joe A. Sloan is new manager of Mont Meta cemetery property on the Rio Hondo road and has moved with his family to the superintendent's house there. He succeeds Fred Booth, who was called into service as lieutenant of Company M, Texas National Guard, mobilized here.

TRAVEL TO MEXICO UP

McAllen Consulate Issues Permits

McALLEN—An increase in tourist traffic into Mexico during the past week was reported Saturday by M. Garcia Rocha, in charge of the Mexican consulate here, during Consul Lauro Izaguirre's trip to Mexico City for the presidential inauguration.

During the past week, Rocha said, 25 tourist cards have been issued from his office. The total is more than 33 per cent better than any previous week in the past three months.

Rocha said averages were also higher at the Mexican immigration office at Reynosa than they had been for some time. Most of the permits were for travel as far as Saltillo and Monterrey with several for Mexico City trips.

Colonel Will Join Free French Forces

BUENOS AIRES—(AP)—Col. Ernesto Petit, head of the French military mission to Paraguay, was in Buenos Aires Saturday on his way to London to join the "Free French" forces of General Charles de Gaulle.

M'MILLAN TO HOLD COURT

Federal Session Is To Begin Monday

BROWNSVILLE—Judge Robert J. McMillan of San Antonio will open federal court of the Southern District of Texas here at 10 a.m. Monday.

Judge McMillan, who presides over the Western District of Texas, will hold court in place of Judge James V. Allred of Houston, federal judge of the Southern District.

Communion Service Set At San Benito

SAN BENITO—Holy Communion service will be held Sunday morning at the First Methodist church. Rev. L. J. Rode's sermon topic will be "Remember." Special organ music will be presented and Mrs. W. F. Pitts, soloist, will sing "The Beatitudes." "O Lord Support Us All Day Long" will be sung by the choir with solo by S. V. Neely.

NEW CHARITY WORK SLATED

'War Production' Of Red Cross Starts

McALLEN—A. M. Tarbutton of Edinburg, chairman of the Hidalgo County chapter of the Red Cross, announced Saturday that inauguration of the unit's "war production" program will be observed Monday.

Co-chairmen of the program are Mrs. Thomas Mahone of McAllen and Mrs. Vernon Hill of Mission.

All materials for the program are furnished by the Red Cross, Tarbutton said. Volunteer workers are asked for making garments, socks, bandages and other supplies.

Material has already been received and Hidalgo County is expected to turn out a large quantity of goods.

Norman H. Davis, national Red Cross chairman in a letter to Tarbutton, said "We have been repeatedly informed by the Women's Volunteer Service in England and the British Red Cross that our chapter produced garments highly acceptable. We have only recently received a request to outfit 200,000 children from the age of six months to five years and work has already started on the project."

Tarbutton said 800,000 women in the United States are working under the program. He said further information on the project may be obtained from Mrs. Mahone or Mrs. Hill, Rev. W. W. Stewart of Pharr or from Miss Edele Speed of Edinburg, executive secretary.

Deny Invasion

Dutch Colony Not Molested

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Reports that a German landing party had been repulsed by British marines while trying to invade the Island of Curacao were termed "entirely without foundation" by the Dutch government.

The denial, issued through the Netherlands legation, was based on a report to the Dutch government in London from the governor of Curacao. The British forces, the legation said, are in Curacao at the invitation of Dutch authorities, are billeted with Dutch troops guarding oil refineries and are under the Netherlands military command.

"The erroneous report," the legation added, "came about when a British sentry fired two shots in the air to halt an intoxicated man who had unwittingly entered the military reservation."

Hungary Seeks Part Of Rumanian Lands

NEW YORK — (AP) — The British radio, in a broadcast heard by CBS, said Hungary was trying to take advantage of present conditions in Rumania to get that part of Transylvania which she didn't get by the recent Axis-dictated Vienna settlement.

The radio quoted an official of the Rumanian delegation in London as its authority. The Hungarian radio, according to the official, has declared the Rumanian situation beyond government control and asked that protective measures be taken in Rumanian Transylvania, presumably by Germany.

Contracts Let For Housing U. S. Troops

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Federal Works agency Saturday awarded contracts totalling $957,000 for construction of national defense housing near military posts in Maryland, Texas, and New Mexico.

David Dubinsky, Daughter Leave Valley For Mexico

DAVID DUBINSKY AND DAUGHTER, JEAN

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Garment Union Head Figured In Bar Brawl During Convention Of AFL

BROWNSVILLE—David Dubinsky, president of the International Ladies Garment Workers Union, left Brownsville Saturday afternoon with his 21-year-old daughter, Jean, for a week's vacation in Mexico City.

Dubinsky broke into the headlines during the recent American Federation of Labor convention at New Orleans when he introduced a resolution to give the A. F. of L. executive council power to remove any union official who had ever been found guilty of corrupt practices or "moral turpitude."

Dubinsky's resolution, after being "modified a bit" carried at the convention vote, he told the Valley Morning Star here Saturday.

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He had introduced the resolution due to the repeated evidence, advanced notably by Columnist Westbrook Pegler and clinched by several recent jail sentences, that the leaders of unions include many an ex-convict and racketeer.

The convention and racketeering issue both came violently to life in the bar of the Roosevelt Hotel in New Orleans after midnight on November 21. Joseph Fay, vice-president of the International Union of Operating Engineers, came up to Dubinsky and cursed his resolution as "dirty" and "lousy."

Fisticuffs Follow

The fisticuffs which followed put the A. F. of L. racketeering in the nation's headlines, but Dubinsky said "I came out all right. You don't see any scars do you?"

Daughter Jean, who is a fledgling columnist on the Socialist "New Leader" was knocked to the floor in the barroom brawl. She writes under the name of Jean Daren and her column is called "Your Money's Worth." She said she did not intend to do any writing while in Mexico City with her father, "but I may come out with something," she added.

To See Inauguration

The pair will be in Mexico City during the inauguration of Mexico's new president, Manuel Avila Camacho.

Dubinsky said he would be back in Brownsville on his way to New York City, where he makes his home, about December 8. He was one of the founders of the C.I.O., but left it with his powerful union and swung over to the A. F. of L. when the C.I.O. settled down to be a permanent rival organization.

RECEIVES HONOR

DONNA — Bruce S. Weaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Weaver of Donna was recently elected to membership in the Pi Epsilon, honorary engineering fraternity. Bruce is an assistant instructor in the University, working also towards his Master's degree.

TRAINING FOR SCOUTERS SET

Cub Leaders School Here Two Days

HARLINGEN — Training course for Cub Scout leaders will be held in Harlingen on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and Thursday evening, Boy Scout Field Executive Ralph Cissne said here Saturday. E. C. Deering will be in charge of the course, with Cissne as adviser.

The course, for parents of boys of cub age, will be given from 3 to 5 p. m. at the junior high school on both Wednesday and Thursday. On Thursday night from 7 to 9 o'clock, the youngsters of cub age will join their mothers and fathers for the final session of the training course, also to be held at the junior high school.

M. H. Connelly, principal of the James Bowie school, is cubmaster for the Cub Pack No. 3, which has lapsed. The course is being given for the purpose of reorganization, and the creation of two active cub packs from the former No. 3 pack.

Jap Troop Train Is Bombed By Chinese

PEIPING—(AP)—Delayed dispatches from Kalgan, on the Mongolian border, said Saturday Chinese mobile troops exploded a mine on the Peiping-Suiyuan railway between Nankow and Kalgan on the night of Nov. 25, and blew up a train carrying Japanese soldiers.

SANTA ROSA GUESTS

SANTA ROSA—Thomas Crenshaw and his brother, Joe, of Mercedes, were visitors here Thursday afternoon. The former is a student at the University of Texas, and both are former residents of this city.

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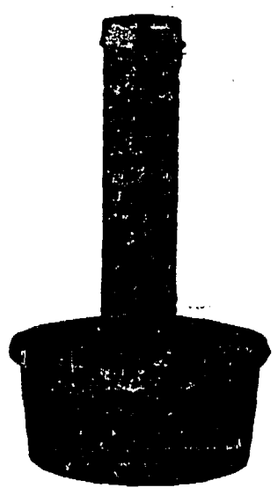

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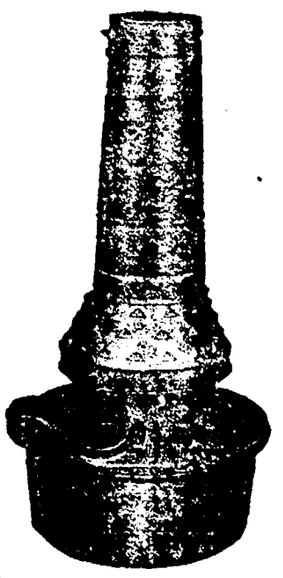

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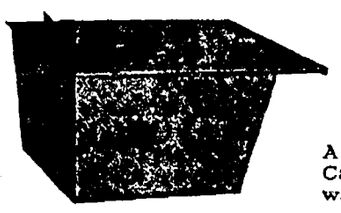

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NO TAX FOR OLMITO ROAD DANCY SAYS

Bond Payment Is To Come From Gas Levy

BROWNSVILLE—The issuance of $365,000 in bonds to finance a new road from Cavazos on the Military highway through Olmito to the port will not cost the taxpayers an extra penny, County Judge Oscar C. Dancy said Saturday.

There has been some confusion in the minds of the public, the judge added, as to how the proposed new road would be paid for.

"People have not believed you could issue bonds and not levy a tax," Judge Dancy said, "and say it looks too much like getting something for nothing.

"On the other hand, it is getting something for which we are already paying—the gas tax. We would pay for it whether or not we build the road. It is just a matter of getting something we are entitled to."

Bond Relief

Judge Dancy emphasized that the voting and the issuance of the bonds would be a step towards getting approximately $300,000 of bonds off on the one cent gas tax.

The state, the judge pointed out, will take over the $365,000 issue, enabling the road to be constructed at absolutely no cost to the county. The state money will come from the gas tax.

In reply to criticism that the money could better be spent on existing county roads, Judge Dancy explained that the state will finance only roads which have been designated as state highways. The proposed road has this designation.

Tax For Others

Improvement of county roads—especially those to farms—is needed, Judge Dancy said, but can be made only b, placing an added burden on the taxpayer.

"We are up against a proposition that one always meets in every road bond issue—the problem of location," Judge Dancy said.

"Every little while someone comes in and wants to know why we are building this highway through Jackass Priarie when there are so many roads needed in the rich farming sections.

State Must Designate

"We could build these other roads, but it would take a tax on property, as there is not even a fighting chanc to get bonds off on the one cent tax, save on a state designated highway.

"It is on the theory of a Valley highway alone, shortening the distance and cutting out dangerous angles and turns, that we are able to sell this to the highway department as a state highway.

"The highway department only has an annual fund of $2,180,000 a year for lateral roads, and as this county already has two farm to market highways, it may be years before we get another."

Child Meet

Methodists To Hold District Parley

EDINBURG — Mrs. Murrie Bormann of McAllen, as district director of children's work for the First Methodist church, will preside at the children's division meeting here Wednesday. An interesting program of music and speeches has been prepared.

Mrs. J. C. Lovern will review the book, "Our Little Child Faces Life," as one of the highlights of the morning session.

During the afternoon age group meetings will be held. Mrs. Bormann will preside at the nursery-beginner section; Mrs. C. B. Kirgan at the primary section, and Mrs. C. T. Hardt for the juniors.

The district embraces the Brownsville division, including all Valley cities where the Methodist church is established.

Christian Service Message Announced

SAN BENITO — "Loss Through Absence" will be the sermon topic by Rev. G. C. Schurman at the 10:45 a.m. service at the First Christian Church. Special music will be a violin solo, "A Dream," to be played by Louis Valle. There will be no evening service because of the union services at the First Methodist Church for Company M, Texas National Guard.

French Governor Of Syria Said Killed

VICHY—(AP)—The French government permitted disclosure Saturday of the death of Jean Chiappe, new high commissioner for Syria, in a French air transport which crashed Nov. 27 after reporting in an SOS it was machine-gunned by a British fighter plane.

Chiappe was a former prefect of Paris police.

70,000 French From Lorraine Welcomed

VICHY, French —(AP)— Chief of State Marshal Philippe Petain reported in a message broadcast to his nation Saturday that 70,000 residents of Nazi-occupied Lorraine had arrived in the unoccupied zone of French.

Urging that they be received warmly "by the French brothers," he pointed out that they lost everything they had.

Recent High School Graduate Is Killed

WEST COLUMBIA, Texas—(AP)—Miss Lola Fay M'Neese, recent high school graduate, was killed Friday night when the auto in which she was a passenger struck the rear of a truck during a mist.

Two Michigan Nurses 'Get Tired' Of Routine, Board Bikes For Long Trip

Land In McAllen, To Continue Tour To California

McALLEN—Travel, which often broadens one, is nevertheless proving highly entertaining for a couple of Michigan nurses who tired of their daily routines and set out six weeks ago to bicycle their way around the country as long as their money holds out.

They are Misses Alma Wicks, Anne Arbor blonde, and Maxine Freeland, brunette from Mayville, Michigan.

Ride 1500 Miles

The pair arrived Friday in McAllen to reach the 1,500th mile of their trip, which started October 15. Of the distance they have covered, 900 miles have been pedaled while the remainder has been negotiated by the well-known thumb route. In fact, they hitched a 600-mile ride with a trucker who stowed their bikes in his car and brought them all the way to the Valley.

From McAllen, they plan to head north for Fort Worth Tuesday or Wednesday and from the "Cowtown" they will strike out for El Paso, Phoenix and California.

"Amazing Hospitality"

"The hospitality is what amazes us about people down here," Miss Wicks commented. "Why, we stopped at an orchard yesterday and the people went out to the trees and pulled off fruit and gave it to us. We thought the folks back in Michigan were hospitable —but not that much!"

Both Miss Wicks and Miss Freeland agree that travel is broadening. Miss Wicks has gained 12 pounds in the six weeks on the road. Miss Freeland, nine. Both are in excellent health, they say.

Just "Got Tired"

They "just got tired" of nursing and planned the trip. Miss Freeland previously had toured much of Europe and had spent six months in Australia. She has a gypsy urge, she confesses.

While here they attached McAllen Chamber of Commerce stickers to their bikes to prove how far they'd travelled south. After they reach California they don't know where they'll go. They are members of the American Youth Hostel, an organization of young travellers. The hostel is active in the east but hasn't yet been developed in the south.

On the 900 miles they have biked, neither has yet had a flat tire or a bit of machine trouble. Their longest jaunt was a four-hour ride of 60 miles from Brownsville, Tenn., to Memphis a couple of weeks ago.

"We just ride when we feel like it, and rest when we take a notion," said Miss Freeland.

They're spending the week-end in the Valley—sleeping in special sleeping bags they carry with them—and plan to leave after eating a Mexican meal Monday at Reynosa.

McALLEN—Misses Maxine Freeland, left, of Mayville, Michigan, and Miss Alma Wicks, Ann Arbor, who "just got tired" of being nurses in hospitals and started a long bicycle tour that will ultimately carry them to California, are shown as they arrived at the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building to get their Valley bearings. They will remain over to the week-end for a Mexican dinner south of the border, and will head back to Fort Worth next week.

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Roger W. Babson Says

Armament Building Will Go On For Another Generation Believes Babson; Sees No Fear Of Let-Down From War

By ROGER W. BABSON

NEW YORK CITY—People talk as if the Armament Program were only a flash-in-the-pan. They ask, "What will happen when the war stops?" I believe that armament activities will go on for at least another generation after the war ends. A new industry is being born. Hitler has laid the foundation for the greatest industrial boom the United States and Canada have ever witnessed. We may expect to see employment reach its highest peak in decades. Not only will unemployed men who now want to work find jobs, but the "slack" in unemployment (normally amounting to a "float" of some 4,000,000) will be taken up.

1940 Vs. 1917

No new industry was born between 1914 and 1919. A few airplanes were built, but they were of little consequence. The fact that France went into World War II with much the same equipment that she used in World War I proves my point. During World War I larger cannon and better machine guns were used and more ammunition consumed than in any previous war; —but no basic changes in big guns, rifles, or munitions took place. Certainly, nothing occurred to make obsolete, cities, factories, and even homes.

There is a vast difference between the world of 1940 as compared with the world of 1917. Hitler is brutal and is changing the map of Europe by a surgical process, but he is making a great contribution to the world in becoming the father of a new industrial revolution. Business has been looking for this during the past ten years. The armament industry for which Hitler is responsible holds a greater promise for future growth than does any present enterprise. Cities in the interior will benefit greatly from this new industry, especially smaller communities of from 10,000 to 20,000 population.

A Repeat Business

Almost every implement, device, or machine which enters into the defense industry picture involves repeat orders. I think of this not so much from destruction through which ammunition is consumed, guns and tanks blown up, or planes and ships destroyed, but rather from a quick obsolescence standpoint. Consider the changes that have taken place in fighting planes of all types, not from the end of World War I to the beginning of World War II, but just since the current affair started.

Wing-tip and fusalage machine gun installations are only one improvement out of many. Read the newspapers and technical journals to visualize the improvements that are taking place in mechanical, electrical, and chemical devices which are fast rendering obsolete existing implements of war whether these be planes, guns, tanks, rifles, or munitions. This does not take into account new inventions which for the most part remain secret.

New Forces Of Activity

Unless one is close to manufacturing and its relationship with the defense program, it is difficult to appreciate the importance of constant improvements and replacements. The production of defense products automatically sets up an entirely new group of repeat business and the growth of the defense industry is bound to continue after World War II is over. Entirely new products will arise as its technological processes develop.

Let me recall the first test of what ultimately brought about our modern battleship. After the Monitor sunk the Merrimac on March 9, 1862, did the building of iron ships stop with the ending of the Civil War? No,—the little Monitor started a great new industry, the building of iron and later of steel ships for use in both war and peace. The construction of ships is still going on. Out of this industrial pregnacy of Hitler's new and more far-reaching industry, new forms of ship construction, city planning, and buildings of all kinds will develop.

Remaking Factories, Homes, Schools, and Cities

Yes, as the bombing plane has changed warfare it is drastically changing the layout of cities and the architecture of factories, shops, and homes. New manufacturing plants are already being built without windows to avoid being located at night. They are also being divided into separate buildings so if one building is destroyed the other units can continue work. As cities have gradually been rebuilt to be more fireproof, so they now will be rebuilt to be bombproof. This will take many years. The defense industry does not mean solely the manufacturing of implements of war, but should ultimately result in changes in roads, water pipes, gas mains, and power stations.

The construction of homes must radically be changed to provide the greatest protection. Civilian population, which in today's warfare suffers so much, must be cared for through individual and mass shelters. School houses must be redesigned as well as theatres and other buildings. Additional subways must be built to take not only street cars, busses, and railroads underground, but to provide shelters for the public. There is no end to the amount of new construction work that Hitler has forced us into.

Conclusion

So many manufacturers were "burnt" in the last war and were left with unusable material and idle plants that they now are shy of war orders. Let me tell you, however, they are making a big mistake. This new business is of an entirely different nature. Manufacturers missed the boat once by going in too deep. If they are not careful they will miss it this time by going in too late!

Tourist Party

Excursion Is Planned For Tuesday

HARLINGEN—The first bridge and domino party of the new season was held at the tourist center at the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel Friday with 17 guests present.

Mrs. W. C. Bobb of Brainerd, Mich. Held high score among the women guests and J. H. Light of Rockford, Ill. was high among the men. W. C. Cobb won high cut prize.

A pleasure excursion is scheduled to start from the tourist center at 2 p.m. Tuesday taking in private gardens, citrus groves and other points of interest. The tour will end at the First Presbyterian church where the tourists will be entertained by women of the church at an informal open house.

The delta of the Danube river produces 50,000 to 60,000 tons of fish annually.

FBI HAS FILE ON SABOTEURS

Destruction Schools Maintained, Said

NEW YORK—(AP)—Inspector Louis B. Nichols of the Federal Bureau of Investigation says the bureau has discovered an organized corps of sabotage agents in this country, knows their identity and has its eye on schools where they are trained in the technique of destruction.

In an address to the National Interfraternity Conference Friday, the administrative assistant to FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover said the saboteurs had been scrutinized by the FBI but they "haven't tried to start anything yet."

The FBI, he said, had found that the recent explosions and fires in defense industries had "not been acts of organized saboteurs."

FBI agents, he went on, had been sent to the so-called sabotage "schools" to obtain first-hand information on the technique taught.

Nichols charged that "subversive forces" had tried to maneuver the FBI into a position where it would have to make public its information and added:

"Nothing would please the totalitarian powers more than knowing exactly the information we possess concerning their activities. I can assure you that when the time comes that information will be used. But now it is far better to know who the foreign agents are, to gain control of their sources of information, to ascertain their methods of communication, than it is to expose them and have others take their places."

San Benito Defense Guard Fixes Drill

SAN BENITO—Local organization of the Texas Defense unit will meet for a first drill session at 8 p. m. Tuesday over the Roberts garage on South Sam Houston. Eighty men have enlisted in the guard of which Harry J. Harris is captain.

Methodists' Dinner Planned For Monday

SAN BENITO—First Methodist Church officials and their wives will meet for dinner at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the church dining room. Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Council of Brownsville, will be special guests. A business session will follow the dinner.

'Strip Picket' Act

Because her part in a movie had been cut out, Gerta Rozan picketed the offices of the producers and said she would remove one article of clothing each day until the part was restored. The first day (left) she shed her blouse, and the next, off came her skirt (right), The next day the studio capitulated.

The death rate from tuberculosis in the United States per 100,000 persons had decreased since 1910 from 250 to 50.

From 15 to 20 varities of apples grown in New York state are quoted on the New York City market.

GUARD'S CAMP IS CONTINUED

San Benito Unit May Go To Camp Bowie

SAN BENITO—Company M, Texas National Guard, mobilized at the armory here on the Brownsville highway, will continue in camp for several weeks, officials were advised Saturday. The unit was expected to be ordered to Camp Bowie at Brownwood, Texas, early in December.

Nine of the 123 enlisted men failed to pass physical examinations given this week by a medical board composed of Captain H. P. Hawk of Gainesville, Texas; Captain L. C. Bevil of Beaumont, and First Lieut. T. L. Pecora of Beaumont. Officers also underwent tests but results have not yet been received.

All members of the unit will attend union services at the First Methodist church at 8 p. m. Sunday. Rev. G. C. Schurman of the First Christian church will deliver the principal sermon and his topic will be "Life Made Perfect."

Rev. Hugh Robertson of the Presbyterian church will offer the prayer and Scripture reading will be by Rev. C. S. McKinney of the First Baptist church. Rev. J. A. Russell will give the benediction.

Special music at the service will be presented by the high school mixed chorus directed by W. Edward Hatchett. The group will sing "God Bless America" and "A Prayer of Thanksgiving" accompanied at the piano by Marilyn Daughtrey.

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RALEIGH, N. C.—(AP)—Maybe police had better check over the gourmets to find the thief who broke into the Boylan Heights school cafeteria.

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RACE LEADERS ARE NAMED IN CHARRO DAYS

Regatta to Draw Top Boat Pilots

BROWNSVILLE — Officials for the 1941 Charro Days speedboat regatta have been named, according to R. W. Pitts of Brownsville, chairman of the race committee.

The regatta has been one of the big features of the fiesta each year, and is scheduled for February 28 in the next Charro Days. Top notch racers from many parts of the nation usually take part. Gar Wood Jr. has been one of the principal contestants in the past.

The Officials

The officials named are: James Mulroy or Charles Steele, of Chicago, representative of the National Outboard association; R. W. Pitts, general chairman; A. G. Hendricks of Corpus Christi, chief starter; Kenneth Clark of Brownsville, inspector-measurer; Ed Hinkly of Port Isabel, chief scorer; Bill Neely of Brownsville, assistant starter.

Fred Petch of Donna, chief timer; Major John N. Merrill of Brownsville, referee; K. M. Bailey of Brownsville, summary man; Col. H. M. Shoemaker of Harlingen, clock man; W. O. Gundry of Weslaco, chronometer man; George Leonard of Brownsville, pit manager; Everett Easterly of Brownsville, gunner.

Others

Assistant timers will be Phil Amsler, Bob Ginn, H. N. Ferguson; assistant scorers, Fred Hanchett, Frank Libbee, and Eddie Valent; pit assistants, Bud Binxley, Milton Connell, R. R. Renfro, R. D. Sauber, Eddie Andreas, Glenn Chapin, John Renfro, Lewis Lee, Bo Scott, La Salle Rorke, Bill, Earle, and Grant Pitch, and A. M. Olsen; pick-up boats, Tom Barber and Dr. Charles Calderoni.

In addition to the regatta, time trials are to be held, under sponsorship of the National Outboard association.

GIFT EXPERT TO AID FOLKS

Miss Ward to Be At Edelstein's

MISS LILLIE WARD

BROWNSVILLE —In Brownsville this week to help local folks with the gift problems, Miss Lillie Ward, who comes to the Valley from the Club Aluminum Products Co., Test Kitchen, Chicago, will be at Edelstein's Better Furniture store through Thursday, where she will be available for consultation.

While at Edelstein's Better Furniture store, Miss Ward will conduct continuous demonstrations daily, featuring the modern cooking methods for which Club Aluminum Hammercraft Waterless Cookware has long been famous—including waterless cooking of fresh vegetables and fruits, top-stove roasting, and top-stove baking. Free Christmas recipts will be given to all who visit Miss Ward's demonstration.

During Miss Ward's visit, Edelstein's Better Furniture store is featuring a 7-piece set of Club Aluminum—a gift for any homemaker—at a special price, on very convenient terms.

'POWER' TOPIC FOR MEETING

BROWNSVILLE — The fifth annual conference of the young people of the West Texas Episcopal diocese will open here Friday, Dec. 6 with an attendance of approximately 100 expected.

Bishop W. T. Capers of San Antonio will attend, and principal speaker at the conference will be Rev. James Clements of Texas City.

Theme of the conference will be "Power." The conference will open at the Church of the Advent (Episcopal) here Friday, and meetings will be held all day Saturday. A banquet will be held Saturday night in the parish house and the conference will close at regular services of the church Sunday, at 11 a.m.

Bill Dunham of San Antonio is president of the conference.

Marriage Announced

BROWNSVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. John W. Butcher announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Doris Butcher, to Clyde Alexander of Fort Brown. The ceremony will be performed at the bride's home, 209 West First, at 8:30 p. m. Saturday, Dec. 7.

"STRONG MAN" DA VINCI

Besides all his other accomplishments, Leonardo da Vinci, the famous painter, was a "strong man," capable of bending iron bars with his bare hands.

Ladies Of Christian Church Plan Events

BROWNSVILLE—The Ladies Council of the Central Christian church plans two events for the coming week when the various circles observe an industrial day and sponsor a Mexican plate dinner as a benefit for the Bundles for Britain Thursday.

Meeting for the industrial day Monday, the circles will gather as follows: one, at the church for a Mexican dinner; two, with Mrs. F. I. Bretz; three, with Mrs. J. M. George, and four with Mrs Herman Loop.

Mrs. George Bowman is chairman in charge of the benefit supper to be served in the basement of the church between the hours of 5 and 8 o'clock.

SEES PEACE FEELER

LONDON—(AP)—Lord Queenborough predicted Saturday in a message to the Society of St. George, on which he is president, that as a result of the Axis setback in the Mediterranean and pressure of the British blockade "Germany may well shortly put out a (peace) 'feeler.'"

War Relief Job Starts Monday For Red Cross

BROWNSVILLE — Brownsville women will begin intensive knitting, sewing and crocheting for war sufferers with the re-opening of the Red Cross workroom Monday morning in a downstairs room in the Maltby building, opposite the White Kitchen.

Mrs. Ralph H. Eisaman, volunteer work chairman, announced the opening Saturday and issued a call for those who could sew, knit or crochet. All articles made will be sent to Britain, she said.

The workroom will be open between 9 and 11 weekdays.

Sweater yarns and wools have been received, Mrs. Eisaman said, and materials for layettes are expected soon. Volunteer workers may secure materials for work at the workroom for use there or to take home. Those experienced in knitting and crocheting will be on hand to aid the beginners.

Volunteer workers filled four boxes of sweaters, dresses, layettes and shawls earlier in the season to send to national headquarters for distribution, but the work was forced to a halt because of lack of material.

MINERALS IN OCEAN OOZE

The ocean floor's submarine ooze has been found to contain amounts of manganese, iron, tin, copper, gold, and other minerals known to exist in sea water.

Showers For Pharr Institute Set Monday

BROWNSVILLE — The pantry shelf of Pharr Institute will benefit when circles of the Women's Society for Christian Service of the First Methodist church meet. Each circle will hold a shower for the institute at its meeting.

Circles will meet as follows at 3 p. m.: one, with Mrs. M. D. Council; two, at the church; three, at the church; Young Matrons, Mrs. James E. Haywood; Lucy Rae, Mrs. C. H. Harden.

Mrs. M. J. Tipton To Lead Program

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Maurice J. Tipton will be leader of the topic at the meeting of the Wednesday study club this week with Mrs. Gerald E. Lauver.

Mrs. Tipton's topic will be "The Trend of The Youth Movement."

Symbolism of Church Topic For Auxiliary

BROWNSVILLE— "The Symbolism of Our Church" will be the topic of an address by the Rev. John Phillips, new rector of St. Albans church in Harlingen, when members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of the Advent (Episcopal) meet at the parish house Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The business and program session will be concluded with a social hour.

Pan American Round Table Meets Friday

BROWNSVILLE—Regular monthly meeting of the Pan American Round Table will be held at 1 o'clock Friday at El Jardin hotel.

Mrs. J. Grider Perkins will be program leader, and will have as her topic Brazil.

Army Life Bett

By MILTON BRONNER
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON—John Q. Citizen will ultimately get his whack at K. P. duty. In other words, kitchen police. All his life he has heard about K. P. from men who have been in the army.

In song and story he has heard about spending miserable hours under the tyranny of the mess sergeant and saying, "Yes, sir" to the cooks, lest they heave a cleaver at the offender. Also he has heard that, aside from the fact that each private will at some time during the weeks have to do K. P. duty, this service is also handed out as a minor punishment for slight offenses.

But when he actually goes on K. P. in the new American army, the draftee is likely to find it is not as black as it had been painted. The one thing most soldiers hated was peeling "spuds" all day long. In a good many camps the government has now installed potato-peeling machines.

There is also machinery for washing pots and pans. However, there is no guarantee that a draftee will find a mess so equipped. He may still have to wield the old knife on the "spuds" and scrub pots and pans by hand.

His one consolation will be that K. P. duty does not last long and that, after it is over, a long interval is apt to follow before he is "elected" again.

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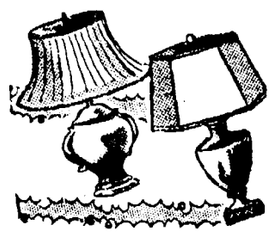

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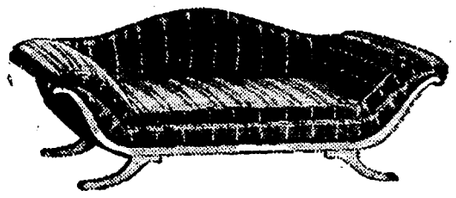

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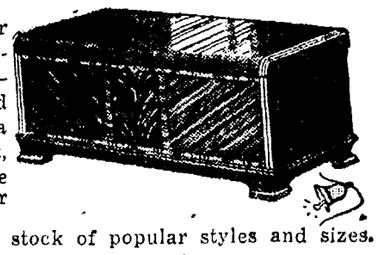

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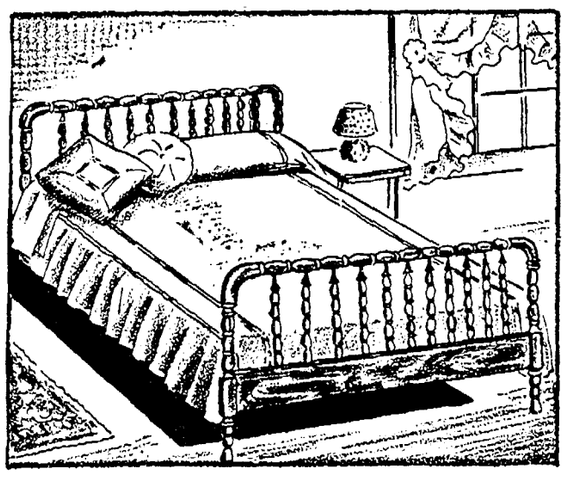

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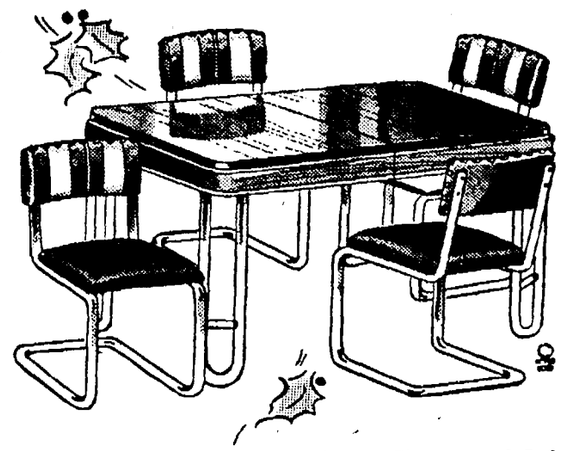

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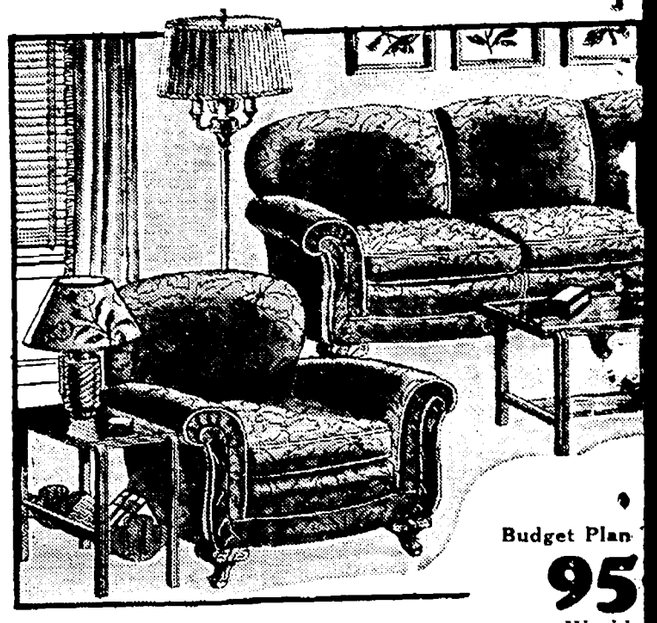

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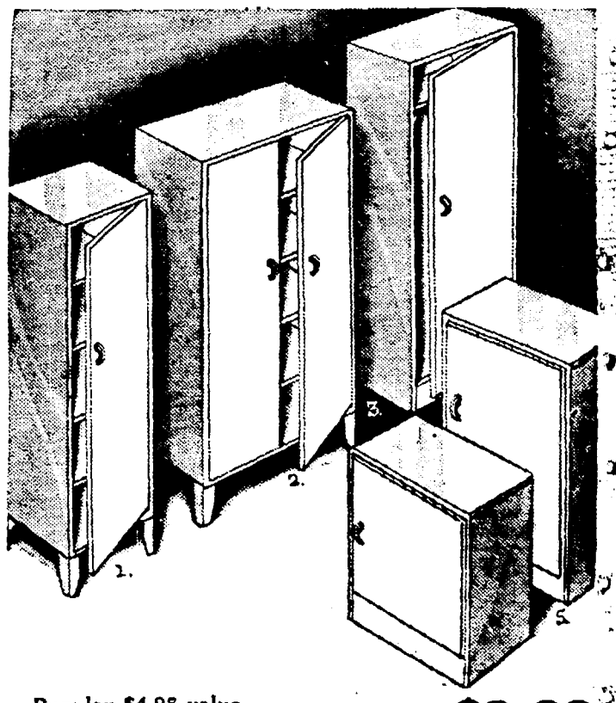

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s which might lead to dysentery. h man, of course, must wash his kit. Three large cans will be ided—one of soapy water, the two containing hot water for ing.

my cooks are taken from the ks, each organization supplying own. In the new army, there be some novices, but every ef- is being made to uphold the dition that the U. S. Army has tter food than any other army in he world.

The draftee will also learn that his new life is not that of half soldier, half prisoner. He will usually be free on Saturday afternoons and Sundays. If he is religiously inclined, he will have opportunity to go to church or chapel.

Leave from camp will be fairly liberal. John Q. will be able to go to the nearest town at night, provided he gets back in time for taps. In many cases officers may not require a pass.

The draftee will be encouraged to take part in outdoor games. He will be able to keep up his courses in correspondence schools. In fact, he will be quite surprised to find how much time he can call entirely his own.

MISS BRULAY HOME

BROWNSVILLE—Miss Inez Brulay returned to Brownsville Saturday from Austin where she spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her cousin, Miss Lucille Marshall of Waco, a University of Texas student.

Argentina has 24,532 miles of railroads.

Christmas Program Features Session

BROWNSVILLE — A Christmas program and an exchange of gifts among the members will feature the Saturday afternoon meeting of the Fort Brown chapter, Daughters of the Texas Republic.

Mrs. L. K. Morris will be hostess at 3 p. m. at her home.

HOLIDAY GUESTS

BROWNSVILLE — Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Hamilton were Mrs. Hamilton's mother and sister, Mrs. M. Mellum and Mrs. Roy R. Roberts, both of Harlingen.

SEE BIG GAME

RANGERVILLE—Darrow Parmer, Curtis Shiflet, John Wesley Parmer, Enrico Buffo and Carl Kaigler attended the Texas Aggies vs University of Texas game. They returned here early Friday morning.

Mexico's Wireless Being Modernized

MEXICO CITY —(AP)—Extensive modernization and improvement of the government wireless system is now under way, the federal department of mails and telegraphs announced Saturday.

Construction of 10 new radio transmitting stations and four emergency power plants in various parts of the republic will be included in the program, the government said.

Brazilians Attend Mexico's Inaugural

MEXICO CITY — (AP) — Special Brazilian envoys General Amaro Soares Bettencourt and Lieut. Col. Stenio C. Lima arrived here Saturday by plane to take part in Sunday's inauguration of President-Elect General Manuel Avila Camacho.

Federal Trucks Must Bow To State Road Law, Rule

AUSTIN, Tex. —(AP)— Attorney General Gerald C. Mann is of the opinion state police can arrest drivers of federal government trucks if the trucks are overweight and violating Texas laws.

He so informed Police Director Homer Garrison, Jr., Monday after Garrison submitted regulations of the U. S. Department of Agriculture to the effect the department may perform the functions delegated to it by Congress in the state of Texas without conforming strictly to the highway laws and regulations of the state."

"There would seem no logical reason why the soil conservation service cannot operate trucks which comply with state regulations," Mann stated. "The use to which they are put does not appear to be such as to demand a radically different type of vehicle from those authorized to operate under state law. Nor does it appear necessary in carrying out the powers and functions of the soil conservation service that loads in excess of 7,000 pounds must be hauled.

Asked whether his patrolmen would be instructed to arrest drivers of overweight federal trucks, Garrison said:

"Well, we always have."

Rainbows may sometimes be seen all day long in Siberia, due to the reflection of the sun on fine particles of snow in the air.

Dr. Wm. R. Ross Weds Miss Mary Galloway

BROWNSVILLE — Announcements are being received here telling of the marriage of Miss Mary Margaret Galloway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Galloway, all of Dallas, to Dr. William Rutledge Ross, of Dallas, son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Ross of Brownsville.

The marriage was solemnized Wednesday morning, November 20 in Holy Trinity church in Dallas. Dr. and Mrs. Ross are at home at 3229 San Jacinto in Dallas.

Dr. Ross, who received his earlier education in Brownsville, received his degree in medicine in June from Baylor Medical school. He is serving as interne at St. Paul's hospital in Dallas.

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The bureau of mines reported Saturday stocks of domestic and foreign crude petroleum at the close of the week ended Nov. 23 totaled 261,723,000 barrels, a net increase of 104,000 barrels compared with the previous week. Stocks of domestic oil decreased 15,000 barrels for the week and foreign crude increased 119,000 barrels.

JARDIN GIVES ALL STUDENTS PLENTY FOOD

School Neatly Solves Old Problem

BROWNSVILLE — More than 5,000 cans of condensed milk, several tons of flour, meal, meat, fresh fruit and dried fruit and an abundance of green vegetables and the application of Rio Grande Valley ingenuity provide assurance that there will be no hungry school children in El Jardin community this year.

And to a group of community leaders goes the credit for solving—so far as their local school is concerned—the intricate problem of overproduction and underconsumption. In a word, they have neatly balanced surplus against hunger; the result is the absence of empty "tummies," a healthier crop of youngsters and increased efficiency.

Tough Problem

When the school term opened last fall, El Jardin, like most other communities, faced the perplexing question of how to care for the many underprivileged children who were not getting enough to eat. Dozens of pupils brought meager lunches of only one tortilla and a few frijoles, while some did without lunch entirely.

With the aid of government employees, members of the Parent-Teacher association of which Mrs. John Whitlow is president, applied for and received provisions from the Surplus Commodities corporation. A supervisor, Mrs. W. S. Callaway, was chosen to direct cooking and serving the food, and cash donations were sought from people of the community. Five student employees of the National Youth Administration assisted with the serving, and patrons of the school volunteered their services.

Pay If Able

Those who were able to pay were expected to donate to the lunch fund, while those unable to pay were allowed to eat free. Surprising to some, the program sustained itself financially.

But as far as food was concerned, the problem was only partially solved, since the provisions received did not include perishables necessary to a balanced diet. The supervisor hit upon the idea of getting donations of fresh vegetables and other perishables from those unable to pay cash, and now a steaming hot, balanced diet is served at a minimum expense to all pupils and teachers who care to eat in the lunch room, which is the home economics kitchen of the high school.

Some Brownsville merchants donated food also.

Five WPA workers and one NYA worker now prepare and serve the food and operate the program under direction of the supervisor. All the WPA workers wear uniforms, and all who work in the kitchen have had health examinations.

The teacher of each home room collects money from students and gives it to the supervisor weekly.

Many Gain Weight

When the pupils first started eating in the lunch room, it was evident that some apparently had never eaten before with knife, fork or spoon.

Some were so extremely hungry that they bolted their food and drink and actually had stomach disturbances. Teachers found it necessary to stress slower and more mannerly eating and are determined that much more progress is needed in these.

It is natural for children to gain weight, but those in charge believe the lunches have helped the pupils materially in gaining weight. Eighty-six per cent of all pupils and teachers eating in the lunch room the past two months have gained from one to 13 pounds, a recent check revealed.

Teachers say the benefits of the program are not only reflected in higher average daily attendance, better school grades and discipline, but in a better morale among parents.

"After all," teachers asserted, "the strongest deterrent to good citizenship is an empty stomach."

VOTE PLACES ARE SET OUT

Road District Ballot Up Dec. 7

BROWNSVILLE — There will be seven polling places in the $365,000 road bond issue election Dec. 7.

Only voters living in Precincts 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 of Cameron county will be eligible to vote.

These precincts are within the boundaries of Road District No. 1, created recently by the commissioners' court.

Here is the polling place list:

Residents of Precinct 4 will vote at their regular box at Olmito.

Residents of Precincts 5, 6, and 7, will vote at the Fourth Ward school.

Residents of Precincts 8, 9 and 10 will vote at St. Joseph's academy.

Residents of Precincts 11, 12 and 13 will vote at the Junior high school.

Residents of Precinct 14 will vote at their regular box at the El Jardin school.

Residents of Precinct 15 will vote at the Blalock school.

Residents of precinct 16 will vote at the home of Mrs. Emelia T. Canul at Villanueva.

Dec. 7 will be the first Saturday in December.

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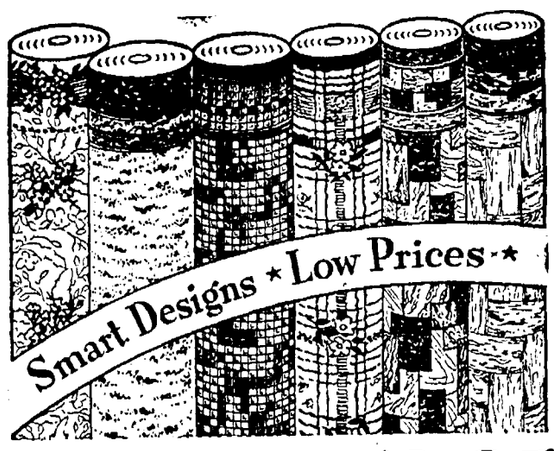

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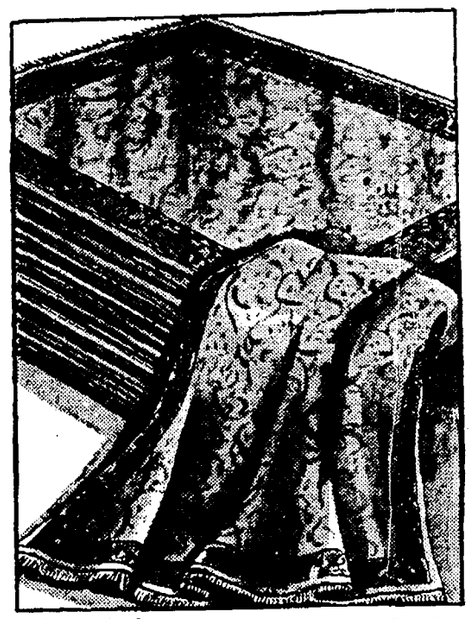

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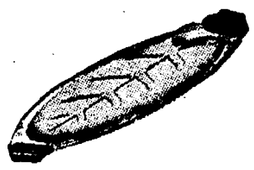

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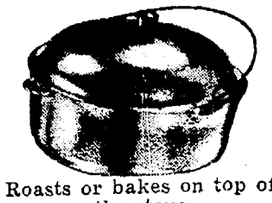

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TOURISTS TO SEE DONNA'S 'DIA GRANDE'

McAllen's Activities Are Listed

McALLEN—A massed tourist trip to the Donna Dia Grande Days celebration Friday will top the nine dates scheduled for McAllen visitors this week.

This week-long entertainment will open Monday at 4 p. m. with a tour to Reynosa, a wild game dinner and return to McAllen in time for the open band rehearsal at the junior high school auditorium at 7:30 p. m. that night.

At 10 a. m. Tuesday the Spanish club will meet at Legion hall and at 11 a. m. the sewing club will gather in the same building where a game party will be held at 2 p. m. All tourists and visitors are invited to attend. Tourist officials promise every game on the books will be played so no one will be overlooked.

A tour to Sullivan City, the gateway to the Valley's great oil field, and the Goodwin Orchards will leave here at 1:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Friday at 10 a. m. the Spanish club will again gather at Legion hall.

All tourists in the city are asked to join the conducted motorcade leaving here at 3 p. m. Friday to attend the Dia Grande celebration and see the Bougainvillea March of Time pageant. En route to Donna stops will be made at the fernery and one of the water pumping stations.

Citrus Returns

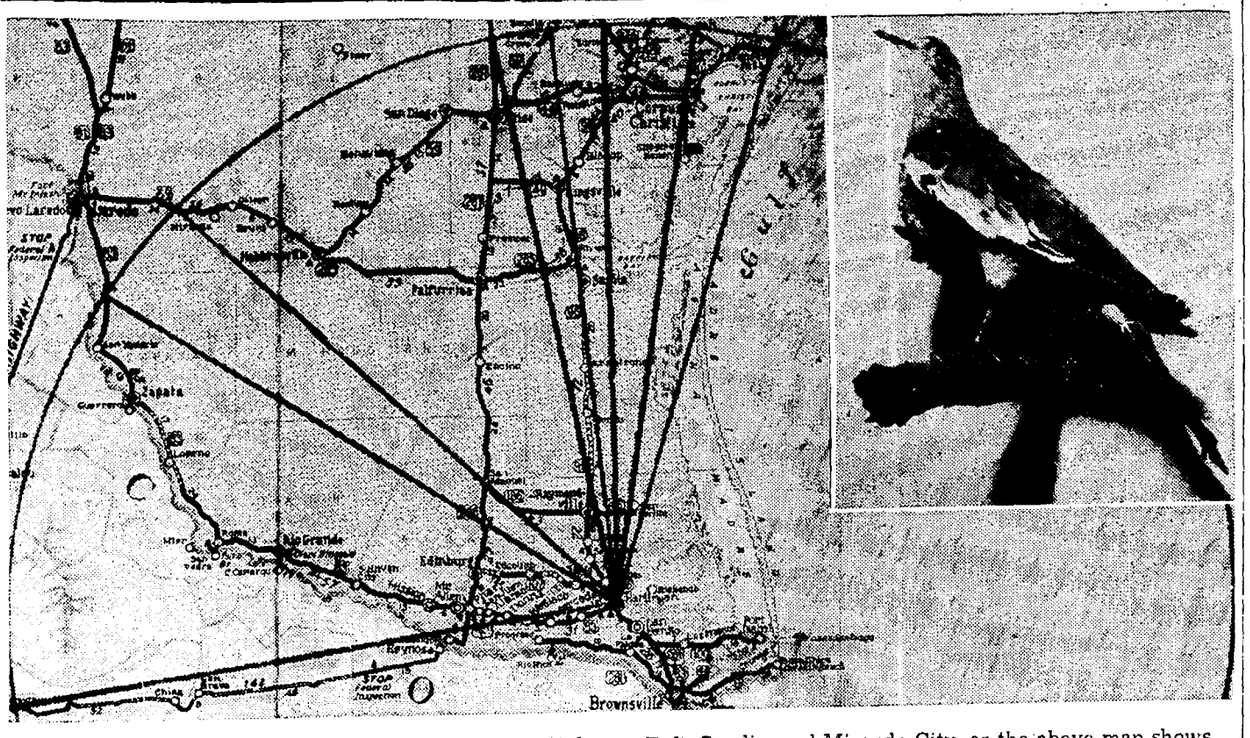
Donna's First Pool Checks Received

DONNA — Grower members of the Donna Citrus Association have, during the past few days, received checks in settlement of the first pool returns on various varieties of citrus fruit marketed since the opening of the season.

Officials of the Association announced the following averages which are being paid to their growers after all expenses are deducted: Marsh Seedless, $23.49 per ton, Pink Marsh, $47.44 per ton, Foster Pinks, $29.21 per ton, Pineapple Oranges, $25.25 a ton, Hamlin Oranges, $29.68 a ton, and Naval Oranges, $23.33 a ton.

In addition to these returns, the members of the Association will also receive rebates on packing costs at the close of the season. It is the practice of the association to deduct an estimated charge when making early pool settlements and to rebate the difference between these estimated charges and the actual cost figures at the close of the season.

If Killed Whitewings Were Placed End To End—



Early in the whitewing season which closed in the Valley Saturday, Game Warden Charlie Jones estimated 4,000 hunters would kill 1,000,000 whitewings during the hunting season. Placed wing to wing, that many birds stretches out to some 142 miles, figuring the average bird as having a wingspread of 9 inches. So a million dead whitewings, placed wingtip to wingtip, would stretch from Harlingen to such points as Aransas Pass, Taft, Sandia, and Mirando City, as the above map shows. It would also reach to within a few miles of Freer, Laredo or Monterrey. Which you will admit, is stretching it quite a bit. At that, 4,000 hunters did quite a bit of blasting. With only 44 hunting days, they averaged killing 250 birds each for the season, or nearly six birds per day per nimrod.

Former Valley Man Plays Major Role In 1940 Success Of State Fair In Person Of Harry Seay, Show's Chief

McALLEN—This year's State Fair of Texas at Dallas broke numerous records for the annual exposition, and the man chiefly responsible is a former Valley resident.

He is Harry L. Seay, who maintained a home near Mercedes for several years and was prominently identified with development of the Rio Grande Valley as head of the American Land and Irrigation Company.

Seay has been president of the State Fair Association for the past two years.

New Records Established

In a recent letter to a Valley friend, Seay declared the fair "has assumed such proportions that it keeps one busy the year round, but for a month or two before it opens, for the 16 days it is in operation, and for about 30 days after it closes it is about the busiest place you ever saw.

"This year we broke several records. We had the largest opening day crowd, the largest single day's crowd (215,000) and the largest 16-day attendance, 1,116,000, or an average of nearly 70,000 per day.

"What looks most encouraging is that we have paid all of our bills and have a little over $20,000 in cash in the bank. I am not familiar with the yearly records throughout the years, but imagine that is going to be another record. It is awfully hard work, but the most interesting work imaginable. There is never a dull moment. One day you are working with cattlemen, another time with the farmers, the horse-raisers, chicken raisers, dairymen. Then we have the industrial exhibits, arts and textiles.

Continue New Plan

"We have to arrange for a show in our auditorium. This year we erected a stage in front of the old race track grandstand and had an open air performance which turned out very well and we will probably continue it. Last year we had the Tipica Orchestra from Mexico City which made quite a hit. This year we couldn't get the Tipica, but we had four Mariachi bands consolidated into one and trained by Maestro Vasquez of the University of Mexico. I believe it was better received than the Tipica. There is a wide difference between the two. The Tipica are all trained musicians, while the Mariachis are natural musicians. The Tipica played a great deal of the classical music, which the Mariachis stuck to folk songs and dances and strictly Mexican music.

"An amusing incident occurred last year on the opening night of the fair at the Queen of Queens. The old maestro Lerdo Tejada thought it would be a courteous gesture to open his program with an American selection. The crowd were all eager to hear the beautiful Mexican music, and you can imagine their surprise when he opened up with 'The Beer Barrel Polka.'

Mexican Programs

"The Mariachis did not attempt any American jazz, but all programs were strictly Mexican.

"We had three big football games and nine high school games. We had the largest and best cattle exhibit ever held in the United States and possibly in the world, as I do not know of any country that features cattle like we do.

"'Negro Day' was the most interesting day we had. Over 80,000 Negroes were on the grounds and they enjoyed it more than any others, and they were about the best behaved crowds we had."

Seay also is a former president of the Southland Life Insurance Company.

XMAS LIGHTS ARE PUT UP

Streets At McAllen Get Decorations

McALLEN—McAllen's Main street assumed a Christmas-time expression Saturday as workmen completed hanging balsam ropes, electrically lighted, throughout the business area.

With practically all the stores decorated for the holiday shoppers with gay red and green color combinations, it appeared that the Christmas season had begun.

Additional decorative effects will be installed within the next few days.

The decorations are being paid from a fund collected by the McAllen Junior Chamber of Commerce members from the downtown merchants.

Some American colleges now are offering courses in the Economics of Canada.

Suspect Nabbed

Indicted Texan May Be Extradited

COMANCHE—(AP)—Sheriff Wid Spivey said Saturday Clifford Brook, 20, indicted here two weeks ago in the slaying of J. D. Couch, 64, had been arrested at Claremore, Okla.

Frank Barton, 19, is in jail here also charged with the slaying. Couch's nearly nude body was found in his dugout home near Gustine, Tex., last Aug. 18. He was believed to have been slain and robbed two days before the body was found.

Sheriff Spivey said extradition proceedings for Brook, who is held by the Claremore sheriff, were pending.

Newsstand Is Upheld In Court Decision

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—Declaring that "liberty of circulating" newspapers is as essential to freedom of the press as "liberty of publishing," Judge L. Stauffer Oliver refused Saturday to order the removal of a newsstand from a street corner adjoining the property of a complaining land-owner.

The property owner contended the newsstand was a public nuisance.

Leader Says Russia Ringed By Enemies

MOSCOW—(AP)—Michael Kalinin, head of the All-Russian Central Executive Committee and to all effects president of the Soviet Union, has described Russia as a "besieged fortress" covering one-sixth of the world while "the other five-sixths of the world are our irreconcilable enemies on principle."

He made the declaration in a speech before the Lenin Military and Political Academy Sept. 17 which was made public Saturday in the organ of the Red Army, Red Star.

Siamese Admit They Bombed Indo-China

SINGAPORE—(AP)—Official Thai (Siamese) quarters here confirmed that the Thai airforce had bombed Thakhek and Savannakhet, French Indo-China border towns, in "reprisal" for an alleged French bombing of Thailand.

A communique from Bankgok, Thailand's capital, charged that Thailand territory was bombed Friday.

Peace Treaty Fails To Change US Policy

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Secretary Hull said Saturday that the United States "of course continues to recognize" the Chungking government of General Chiang-Kai-Shek.

He made this assertion when reporters asked him for comment on the peace treaty between Japan and the Japanese-sponsored Chinese government at Nanking.

French Communists Are Being Arrested

VICHY, France—(AP)—The arrest of Louis Thorez, brother of the leader of the French Communist party, was reported Saturday in a dispatch from Paris telling of the roundup of a well-organized" band operating among Parisian students.

Police also were reported to have arrested 26 Communists at Arles and interned 61 other "undesirables."

VISITORS DEPART

HARLINGEN — Mr. and Mrs. David Taylor have returned to their home in Cristobal, Canal Zone, after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Preston at Combes.

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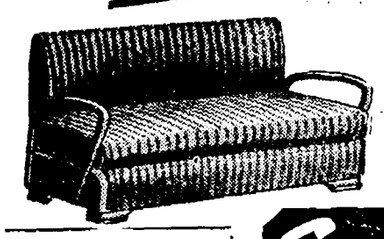

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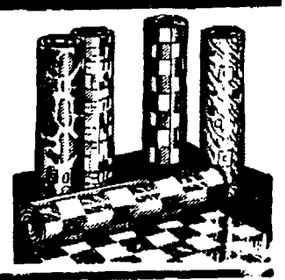

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CHARRO DAYS PLANS SHAPE

Won't Permit Shaves After Christmas

BROWNSVILLE — Brownsville's muchly-publicized Charro Days celebration is only three months away and officials began to swing into their final arrangements here this week.

Friday noon civic leaders who will conduct the finance drive met at the White Kitchen and mapped their plans.

Robin M. Pate, president of Charro Days, announced Friday that arrangements had been completed for the parade, pageant, carnival and rodeo.

John B. Rogers Company of Fostoria, Ohio, will be in charge of the huge "Court of Nations" pageant to be staged at Tucker Field. Local school officials are already working on plans for this event.

Kohler and Crofoot of Brownsville have been awarded the contract for construction of the many floats to be used in the spectacular daytime and night parades.

Alamo Shows has been given permission for the carnival concession.

The rodeo will be in charge of that famous westerner, Col. Zack Miller, who will not only bring many of his colorful performers here, but will act as master of ceremonies.

Plans for the Charro Days Regatta, which will bring such famous outboard racers as Gar Wood and Worth Boggeman here, were announced here Friday by R. W. Pitts, chairman of the race committee.

The regatta will be held on Sunday, February 23.

Last scheduled shave for Brownsville residents was set for Christmas Day, after which any male resident of the area appearing on the streets with a clean shaven face faces "stiff" penalties from the Charro Court of the Brush.

Bolivian Married

Valley Woman Weds Randolph Flier

SAN ANTONIO—Lieut. Federico Pol of the Bolivian air corps was married at the Catholic Shrine of the Little Flower Saturday to Miss Estella Canales, daughter of Jesus M. Canales, Premont business man, and a niece of J. T. Canales, Brownsville attorney.

A civil ceremony preceded the church wedding. The bridegroom is a graduate of Randolph Field. The couple left for a New York honeymoon, after which they will go to Washington where Lieut. Pol will report to the Bolivian legation pending assignment.

Shades Of Jules Verne, A Booster

BROWNSVILLE—The Valley of Tomorrow—a dream in technicolor beyond the expectations or imaginations of the region's greatest boosters—is pictured in a 10-page letter received Saturday by the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce.

The letter comes—of all places—from California, and its writer has been unanimously voted the No. 1 Valley Booster.

A world's fair in the Valley in 1943, four-lane highways, seawalls, streamlined railways, causeways, a Valley university, are a few of the desired objectives pictured in the communication, from James D. Lindsey, now with Company D, 17th Infantry, Fort Ord, Monterey, California.

Wants World Fair

"I believe the Lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas should have a world's fair in 1943," writes Lindsey. "It should have a World's Fair because, in the first place, the Valley is large enough and wealthy enough . . .

"The Valley will be the First City in Texas before 1943, although it is only the fourth city now.

"But before the Valley has a World's Fair, there are several things should be done. First, the Valley should decide the location of the fair.

"I believe the best place would be at or near Del Mar. Of course every city would help decide the location, because all will share in the expense.

A Mere Trifle

"The second thing the Valley should do is to build at least 4,000 more miles of concrete highway.

The third thing the Valley should do is to have the Texas state highway department make four-lane highways out of all the state highways there.

"The fourth thing is to plant palms and purple sage along all the highways. All the highways should be lighted at night, the main highways to be flanked with sidewalks.

"Where every street, state or county highway crosses a railroad, the street or highway should be under the railroad by viaduct or underpass.

And Bridges, Too

"A large four-lane bridge should be built from Del Mar to Port Isabel, another four-lane bridge from Del Mar to Brazos Island, another four-lane bridge from Brazos Island to Padre Island, and still another four-lane bridge from Padre Island to Port Isabel, and the fifth large four-lane bridge should go from the north end of Brazos Island to Port Isabel.

"These five large bridges should be built high enough above water to allow ocean-going ships to pass under them, and the bridges should be lighted at night.

"Five great sea walls should be built in the Valley, as large as the one at Galveston. One sea wall should be built at Del Mar, one at the south end of Brazos Island, one at the north end of Brazos Island, one at the south end of Padre Island, and the fifth at Port Isabel.

"The Valley should have at least one $25,000,000 college, with a great football team.

"Seven hotels, large as the Roosevelt in New Orleans, should be built in Brownsville, three large hospitals as large as the Jefferson Davis in Houston, 35 new large golf courses should be built in the Valley.

More Details

"A streamlined railway should run from Rio Grande City to Brownsville, to Del Mar, to Port Isabel, to Harlingen, from Harlingen back to Rio Grande City. The streamlined railway should be at least a two-way track.

"Large depots should be built, as large as the union depot in Houston.

"A four-lane highway should run from Raymondville to Corpus Christi. The Valley should be able to get these things with help from the federal government.

"The World's Fair of 1943 should cost about $85,000,000. The government will give the Valley 50 years to pay this back, but the Valley can do it in 10 years.

"I sure hope the Valley will have a World's Fair in 1943 because to show the world, the South can do something great, Texas can do something great, and the greatest place in the world, the Valley can do something great."

CHURCH SENDS CITRUS FRUIT

Carload Planned For Methodist Home

HARLINGEN—Valley churches of the Southwest Texas Methodist Conference, which for the last dozen years have sent a carload of citrus fruit to the Methodist Children's Home at Waco, will send the 1940 shipment December 14.

This carload of fruit is in addition to their regular donation of money since the home is not an endowed institution and depends on free will offerings of Texas and New Mexico Methodist for its maintenance.

District superintendents for the funds campaign include Rev. M. D. Council, Brownsville.

VISIT IN DONNA

DONNA — Mrs. A. S. Pike and small son of Conroe are spending the holidays with Mrs. Pike's mother, Mrs. B. C. Yerger in Donna.

Municipal Auditorium

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Texas Record Vote Now Made Official

Total Of 1,041,168 Ballots Cast For State Presidential Electors Tops 1932

By The Associated Press

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texans stuffed a record 1,041,168 votes for presidential electors into ballot boxes November 5.

The state's election board's canvass of voting Saturday showed the total exceeded by 191,630 the vote in the 1932 general election, the previous record, and by 198,630 the 1936 vote.

The results were certified as official although 33 of the state's 254 counties failed to report within the statutory deadline which was November 25.

Results of the gubernatorial race will be canvassed by the House of Representatives after January 14. This is a requirement of law. The governor is a member of the election board.

Democratic electors garnered 840,151 votes and others were distributed as follows: Republican 199,152; Socialist 728; Communist 212; Prohibition 925.

Senate Race Pattern

With one exception, the race for U. S. Senate established the pattern for other state-wide races. Senator Tom Connally received 978,095 votes. The Republican candidate, George I. Shannon of Amarillo, got 59,340. Homer Brooks of Houston, the Communist standard bearer, received 403.

The exception was the agricultural commissioner contest in which J. E. McDonald was re-elected with a total vote of 647,911. W. N. Bill Corry of Keller was announced as a independent after McDonald, a Democrat, advocated the election of Wendell L. Willkie got 453,573 write-in votes. O. T. Campbell of Waco, the Communist candidate, received 5,755 in the scramle that developed Tom Martin of Johnson City, a second independent, won 8,816 and some 60 persons shared the remaining 696 votes.

Amendment Vetoed

Voters defeated, 207,053 to 167,204 a constitutional amendment authorizing Red River county to levy a special tax to refund county warrants.

Other amendments carried, as follows:

Appointment of notaries public by the secretary of state—318,061 for, 155,964 against.

Exempting municipal appointive officers and employes from the constitutional two-year term limitation—222,559 for, 147,919 against.

Authorizing direct appeal to the supreme court from trial court injunctions involving the constitutionality of laws or administrative orders—268,645 for, 114,343 against.

Alexander High

The highest individual vote, 999,635, went to James P. Alexander of Waco, Democratic candidate for chief justice of the supreme court.

Other results in state-wide races included:

Attorney general—Mann (D) 995,626; Lane (R) 54,757; Wright (C) 280.

Chief justice supreme court—Alexander (D) 999,843; Beckenstein (R) 55,506.

Associate justice supreme court—Sharp (D) 993,635; Ingram (R) 55,768.

Criminal Appeals

Associate justice court criminal appeals—Beauchamp (D) 998,477; Nossaman (R) 55,529.

Railroad commissioner — Culberson (D) 996,363; McDowell (R) 55,190; Hardaway (C) 276.

Comptroller—Sheppard (D) 999,679; Gunst (R) 55,038.

Commissioner general land office—Giles (D) 998,408; Sweet (R) 55,438.

Treasurer

Treasurer—Lockhart (D) 996,982; Bullington (R) 55,518.

State superintendent public instruction—Woods (D) 995,930; Mrs. M. Brents Witty (R) 55,270.

Commissioner of agriculture—McDonald (D) 647,911; Corry (Ind) 453,573; Campbell (C) 5,755; Martin (Ind) 8,616.

Constitutional Amendments

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DONNA'S FETE SENDS ENVOYS

Motorcade To Tour Valley Monday

DONNA—All arrangements have been completed for Donna's annual Dia Grande celebration to be held here December 5 and 6. A motorcade of 50 will tour the Valley Monday to invite citizens of the sector to attend the two-day event. The motorcade will include the Donna high school band, and will be accompanied by Miss Betty Vertrees, who is Miss Bougainvillea in the celebration's featured pageant.

Practically every city in the Valley will be represented in the Bougainvillea "March of Time" production. Girls selected by local garden clubs will form the cast for the pageant, which will be staged both evenings of the celebration at the high school athletic field.

Featured Events

Other featured events of the celebration will include a tractor and machinery exhibit, a baby and doll buggy parade, flower show, United States Army display, the diaper derby, old fiddlers contest, terrapin derby, personality parade, and a carnival. Four school bands and three sound trucks will take part in the celebration.

The celebration will open Thursday noon, December 5, with the flower show. The old fiddlers contest will be held at 2 p. m., and at four the baby parade will take place. The tractor and implement display will be open throughout the day and evening.

"March Of Time"

At 8:30 p. m. first showing of the Bougainvillea March of Time will be held. At 10:30 p. m. the Bougainvillea Dance will begin at the American Legion hall, while the Latin-American Dance will be staged at the same time at the Woman's building.

On Friday, December 6, the flower show, implement display and carnival will again be open all day and evening, and the army will stage a demonstration during the morning. The terrapin derby will be held at 1:30 p. m. The personality parade will be at 7:30 p. m., following which the concluding Bougainvillea March of Time performance will be given. Dances similar to those of the preceding evening, and at the same halls, will conclude the celebration.

Army Camp

The United States Army will have one of the most interesting portions of the celebration. The members of Headquarters Troop of the 12th Cavalry Regiment from Fort Brown, commanded by Captain C. J. Hoy, will arrive in Donna on the afternoon of Thursday, December 5, and camp overnight in the city park. The troop will include the scout car reconnaisance platoon, motor transport platoon, regimental headquarters and staff platoon, and the regimental communications platoon.

Equipment is of the newest type, and men will be detailed to explain operation of the army's finest fighting tools.

Change Seen

Chamber Directors' Terms Studied

McALLEN—A proposed amendment to the constitution and by-laws of the McAllen chamber of commerce will be discussed at a special directors meeting Monday at 2 p. m.

The amendment will provide for staggering the terms of directors in such a way that four directors will be elected to three-year terms; four to two years and three for one year.

If approved the amendment will be submitted to the annual membership banquet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel December 3 for final consideration.

The directors will alos consider signing a lease with the Missouri Pacific Railroad Company on whose land the new annex has been constructed, officials said.

Mission Man Hurt In Auto Accident

EDINBURG—Harry Germentz o. Mission sustained cuts and bruises about the head in a three-car collision Saturday at 10 a. m. a mile and a half west of here at the intersection of State Highway 107 and Martin road.

Walter Lysinger, county patrolman, said an eyewitness told him a pickup truck driven by Cirilo G. Ballesteros of Edinburg struck the rear of a sedan driven by Mrs. Gertrude R. Quist, winter visitor at McAllen, while both cars were traveling east. After striking the Quist car, Ballesteros' machine swerved to the opposite side of the road and collided head-on with a small westbound truck driven by Gernentz.

STUDENT VISITS HOME

McALLEN—Fletcher Barton, A. and M. College student, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Barton

Catholic Mass To Be Shown In Film

McALLEN—Of interest to many valley residents will be the motion picture on the Roman Catholic mass to be shown at the McAllen Junior High school auditorium at 8 p.m. Sunday.

Rev. Father Emmett Walsh of McAllen, ordained a priest here last summer, will be the main character in the show in his role as celebrant of the mass. Along with the picture, sound effects will carry an explanation of the ritual. The picture was made at San Antonio. Tickets may be purchased at the door, Rev. Father Charles Buckley, pastor of the local church, said.

Noted Singer Will Appear At McAllen

McALLEN—Miss Marinela Farias, music student of New York and San Antonio, will sing in English, Spanish, French and Italian at the regular meeting of the Rotary club Wednesday.

The young lady, who is studying to be a concert singer, and who with her mother is visiting Valley friends, will be presented by Ramon Longoria, McAllen attorney.

ARRIVE FOR WINTER

SAN JUAN—Mr. and Mrs. C .M Kinney and daughter, Mrs. Guy Ward and baby, of Oklahoma City, came here recently and have moved into the W. F. Good home. They plan to spend the winter months here

Recruits Arrive At Fort Bliss

Part of the 56th Cavalry Brigade, Texas National Guard, is shown on arrival at Fort Bliss, El Paso, to begin a year's training. Weary from long train rides, the youths stretched out to get some rest. The cavalrymen moved to Fort Bliss this week.

Rio Grande Valley Oil Fields Stage Comeback During Week With Nearly Score Of New Locations Reported

McALLEN — Development in Lower Rio Grande Valley proven fields staged a comeback during the past week, when seven new producers were turned into storage and a dozen wells were drilling. Nearly a score of new locations were staked, including 15 in the Boyle field in southern Starr, three in the Colorado field and others in scattered proven fields.

The Colorado field, one of South Texas' few producing areas which has not yet encountered salt water, added four new wells during the week and several additional tests will be drilled soon.

The new producers include two for Sun Oil Company and one each for V. F. Neuhaus and C. Andrade III.

Sun's No. 12 N. S. Thaxton, Survey 630, in the north part of the field, pumped 92 barrels daily from sand cored at 2,933-42 feet. Sun's No. 14 N. S. Thaxton, also in the north part of the field and in Survey 630, made 170 barrels daily on 3-16-inch tubing choke from sand at 2,950-62 feet with 350 pounds tubing working pressure and 610 closed-in casing pressure. Sun spudded the No. 13 Thaxton, Survey 630, this week-end.

V. F. Neuhaus' No. B-4 F. G. Trevino, Survey 38, in the south part of the field, cored the field sand at 2,980-90 feet and cemented 5 1-2-inch o.d. oil string atop the sand. The well was turned into storage Friday but production figures were not available.

C. Andrade III No. D-4 F. G. Trevino, Survey 37, in the north part of the field, was also completed but details were unavailable. The well cored sand at 2,937-46 feet and cemented oil string atop sand.

V. F. Neuhaus' No. A-4 F. G. Trevino, Survey 38, in the south part of the field, gauged 287 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke from sand at 2,976-87 feet, where the hole was bottomed. Tubing working pressure of 240 pounds and closed-in casing pressure of 550 pounds were recorded.

C. Andrade III No. D-1 F. G. Trevino, Survey 37, was also completed, but details were not available.

In the Boyle field in southern Starr Borsodi Petroleum Coompany finished a new well in the south part of the field while Sun Oil Company was testing its new south edge well for the area.

Borsodi's No. 3 Juan de Dios Vela, Share 2-A, Portion 92, Camargo Jurisdiction, cored the field sand at 3,234-48 feet and drilled to total depth of 3,750 feet. Casing (5 1-2-inch o.d.) was cemented at 3,350 feet for production test. Through casing perforations (40 shots) at 3,234-48 feet, the well flowed 10 to 15 barrels daily through open casing, formation pressure being insufficient to flow the well properly. Operators acidized the sand, but it failed to open up, and the well will be pumped. The oil is still flowing a few barrels daily through open casing.

Borsodi moved immediately to the No. 4 Vela, Share 2-A, Portion 92, Camargo Jurisdiction, which spudded Saturday, then staked 10 additional locations on its Vela leases in Portions 91 and 92, all of them west of present production.

South of the Boyle discovery, Fidelity Oil and Gas Company No. D-5 E. B. Carruth et al, Portion 92, Camargo Jurisdiction, was reported drilling past 2,000 feet. Fidelity has staked three other locations in the immediate vicinity.

On the south edge of present Booyle production, Sun Oil No. 1 Juan de Dios Vela, Share 2-A, Portion 92, Camargo Jurisdiction, had squeezed original perforations and was preparing to perforate for second production test in sand cored at 3,170-91 feet. The first test included formation at 3,188-91 feet.

Northwest of all production at Boyle, Dean and Hendrickson's No. 1 M. M. Garcia, Share 215, Portion 90, Camargo Jurisdiction, was reported drilling around 2,990 feet on a very interesting wildcat.

The Sullivan City field southwestern Hidalgo county added another producer and another new test was started.

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 2 Tomas (Villareal) Flores, Tract 236, Portion 38, Reynosa Jurisdiction, gauged 95 barrels daily on 3-32-inch tubing choke through casing perforations (48 shots) at 4,126-34 feet. Tubing working pressure of 750 pounds and closed-in casing pressure of 925 pounds were recorded.

John Messenger's No. A-2 V. G. Chapa was ready to spud on location on the northeast edge of the field in Tract 238, Portion 40, Reynosa Jurisdiction.

The Sun field in northeastern Starr had another well in the northwest part of the producing area on the sand and about ready for production test. Sun's No. A-6 E. A. and N. R. Montalvo, Tract 3, Los Cetaches Grant, bottomed the hole at 4,880 feet, where 7-inch o.d. oil string was cemented. Production tests are scheduled for the regular field sands.

Two new wells were nearing the pay in the Rincon field in eastern Starr, while a new test was under way in the Yzaguirre sector of the eastern edge of Rincon. Two additional locations were staked nearby.

Continental Oil No. A-18 Slick Estate, Survey 485, in the central section of the field, was drilling in shale at 3,730 feet, while Continental's No. B-39 Slick Estate, Survey 266, in the center of the chief producing area, was drilling shale past 4,035 feet.

Complete Oil Well Service Company, which has drilled many wells in the Rincon and Colorado fields and which opened the Yzaguirre sector of Rincon several months ago, is drilling a new test and has staked otwo additional locations. Complete's No. 2 Manuel Yzaguirre, Section 227, about 8,500 feet east of all production at Rincon except for the No. 1 Yzaguirre, spudded and cemented 10 3-4-inch o.d. surface pipe around 300 feet. The No. 2 Yzaguirre is about 1,320 feet west of the No. 1 Yzaguirre. Location for the No. 3 Yzaguirre is 660 feet north of No. 2, and location for the No. 4 Yzaguirre is 660 feet north of No. 1.

In the San Salvador field in central Hidalgo county, Gulf States Oil Company No. 1 Carmen Cardenas de Cavazos, Share 155, San Salvador del Tule Grant, was shut in after cleaning itself quickly. Operators completed the well in two sands, from one of which gas and distillate will be produced. Through the other, gas stripped of its distillate by the company's new $100,000 recycling plant, will be returned to the formation. The well was completed through casing perforations (46 shots- at 7,910-20 feet and with 38 shots at 7,333-45 feet. The lower sand will produce through tubing and the upper sand through casing. Closed-in pressures are 3,200 pounds on casing and 3,400 pounds on tubing.

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McALLEN — Wildcats in northeastern Brooks county and southeastern Cameron county were the only deep holes drilling in Lower Rio Grande Valley wildcat areas Saturday and both of them were "tight" holes.

Sun Oil Company was completing a semi-wildcat in eastern Starr county, however, which promised to prove production from a second sand in the new north Rincon area to extend the area another 1,700 feet to the north.

The Sun test was its No. 2 Mateo Saenz, Survey 80, about five miles north of the Rincon field proper. Through casing perforations (20 shots) at 4,398-4,402 feet, the well was making oil on 5-16-inch tubing choke with 50 pounds tubing working pressure and 700 pounds closed-in casing pressure while on potential test. The No. 1 Saenz, about 1,700 feet to the south, was completed in a 5,600-foot sand.

For the first time in several years, there was not a single out-and-out wildcat rig running anywhere in Starr county Saturday.

In northeastern Brooks county, J. M. West Production Company and Dan Auld's No. 1 Wm. Ehlers, Section 12, Burton and Danforth Subdivision, Loma Blanca Grant, was reported coring around 8,500 feet on a deep test. Only information available thus far was a reported sand with oil show around 8,013-30 feet which recovered 45 feet of gas-cut mud in 45 minutes on drill stem test. A second test of the lower five feet of this same sand was reported to have recovered a slight show of oil. How much deeper the hole will go is not known.

In southeastern Cameron, more attention is being given Pure Oil Company No. 4 Gatewood Newberry, Share 3, Shelton Award Survey, as the result of last week's strike of Pan-American in eastern Willacy county. The Pure hole was reported drilling around 5,900 feet after cementing protection string at 5,000 feet, but no definite information is available from the well. It is headed for 10,000 feet, and Falcon-Seaboard Drilling Company, Houston, has the contract.

Carter and Rubsamen, Houston contractors who drilled the Pan-American No. 1 Porfirio Garcia, discovery well of the new Willamar field in eastern Willacy, have been unable to move a wheel for several days because of heavy rains in the vicinity. All roads were submerged and it has been impossible to move the heavy rig to the new Pan-American location, the No. 1-B Willamar community, about 1,000 feet southwest of discovery in the Teodoro Garcia tract in Share 13, San Juan de Carricitos Grant.

In eastern Starr county, W. R. Davis, Incorporated, No. 1 Harry Seyfriedt, Survey 928, about 1,600 feet east of the Complete Oil Well Service Company No. 1 Yzaguirre, easternmost production in the Rincon area, was still a "tight" well. The hole was reportedly bottomed at 6,006 feet and casing was cemented around 5,750 feet. Several deep sands were being tested, according to reports.

DAMAGE SUITS NOW $672,000

Alamo Crash Filings Increasing

EDINBURG—Four more damage suits against the St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico railway for losses assertedly suffered in last March's truck-train accident at Alamo brought to $672,575 Saturday the total amount asked of the railway by families affected by the crash. Twenty-nine persons died as a result of the collision and numbers of others were injured. The new petions ask $115,950.

Atadio Gamez, 19, of Starr county, one of the persons injured in the crash, filed suit in district court here Saturday asking $10,000 in damages and $250 for payment of doctor, hospital and drug bills. Santos Rosa, 9, also represented in one of the new suits, asks $10,000 in damages and $200 in bills.

Suing for himself and two children, Gregorio Alanis asks damages totaling $45,000. His petition asks $25,000 for the death of Delfina Alanis, his 12-year-old daughter, killed in the crash; $5,000 for injury to his son, Pedro, 14; and $15,000 for injury to his son Jesus, 9.

Largest of the new suits is one asking damages totaling $50,500, filed by Mrs. Natividad F. Ramon and her nine children.

Mrs. Ramon is the widow of Jose Ramon, one of those killed in the collision and the owner of the truck in which about 40 persons were riding when it was struck by a passenger train at an Alamo crossing. For the death of her husband, Mrs. Ramon seeks damages of $10,000, for loss of the truck $500 and for the childfren's loss of their father $40,000.

As in the case of numerous other damage suits filed as a result of the crash, the new petitions list Guy A. Thompson, trustee for the Missouri Pacific system, as defendant in the case. The St. Louis Brownsville and Mexico line is a subsidiary of the Missouri Pacific.

The first of the suits called for trial a few weeks ago were continued to later dates.

Patterson Fetes McAllen Friends

McALLEN—S. M. Patterson, former Edinburg chamber of commerce manager who is leaving today for his new post at Littlefield, Tex., entertained a few of his McAllen friends with a dinner at the Casa de Palmas Hotel Friday night.

Brief speeches by all present marked the entertainment for Patterson's farewell.

Present were Fidencio Guerra, C. H. Britton, Paul T. Vickers, Van E. Cook, W. H. Moon, Dr. G. Van Amber Brown, Si Casady, W. W. Dees and E. A. Polzin.

GOING TO HOUSTON

PHARR—Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Slocum left Wednesday for Eagle Lake where they will spend the Thanksgiving holidays with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lindsey and baby son, Robert Fenton.

91 Men Comprise Valley Border Patrol Strength

14 Additional Recruits Expected When Called By Civil Service

McALLEN—Ninety-one members of the United States Border Patrol comprise the personnel of the service now guarding this section of the border.

While total strength of this division is 105 men, additional recruits will not be available until another eligible list is tendered by the civil service commission.

Within the past month death and the United States Army have taken three border patrolmen from this district. The death Friday of John H. Cottingham removed one of the service's most experienced men. Michael P. Ryan and Hershel R. Adams, both officers in the army reserve, were called to duty during the month.

Thirty-one newcomers are stationed at the 13 posts in this district where their training is being completed under the direction of the service's older men.

The 25 men who are stationed at the McAllen headquarters include Fletcher L. Rawls, chief, John R. Peavy, L. T. McCollister, James P. Cottingham, Ernest A. Kilborn, Ned D. Henderson, Andrew P. Wright, Leslie H. Buchanan, Howell Norwood, Madison W. Kuykendall, John E. Hensley, Ray Fred, William A. Stephenson, F. Leon Mullen, Robert D. Daffin, Herbert M. Johnson, William O. Britt, with new recruits, Richard J. Newcomb and Jerome F. Reilley; radio operator, Lorn L. Howard; clerk, Ladik A. Morkovsky; mechanics, John W. Griffin and Ralph H. Hall; and laborers, Leslie Chaney and Antonio Garcia.

Various district posts and the patrolmen stationed at each include: Brownsville, Charlie Wallis, Delbert A. Valentine, Samuel W. McKone, Charlie Agee, Manuel A. Saldana, James A. Lowe, with recent appointees, James W. Nielson, Rea P. McKinney, Walter E. Bell, Jr., and James A. York.

Harlingen: William A. Holt and Samuel Ruskin with new patrolmen, Edward J. Pierson, Daniel R. Colley and Ray H. Barnes. Mercedes: Clifton D. Brown, Arthur C. Swaim and Francis Quebodeaux and Omer L. Hix, with new patrolman, Gerald E. Mccham.

Weslaco: Charles E. Wroten and Oscar D. Kelley, with new patrolmen, Ellis M. Anderson, Frederick J. Wiedersheim, Jr., and Stewart C. Strait. Mission: Thomas E. Phillips, Faler L. Armitage, Marshall N. Ney, and William T. Toney, Jr., with new patrolmen, William O. Dunham, Leonard J. Martin and Robert W. Anderson.

La Grulla: I. E. Snavely and John N. McCoy with new patrolmen, Hugh S. Rice, Waldo A. Roberts and George A. Beaven, Jr. Rio Grande City: Jesse Perez, Jr., and Wayne R. Brady with new patrolmen, Paul L. Westbrook, Jeff T. Wilkes and John A. Zivnuska.

Roma: Oscar A. Whittlesey and Rufus E. O'Farrell, Jr., with Gerard W. Hollander, new patrolman. Edinburg: Albin Ulrickson and Harry F. Helmke, with new patrolmen, David C. Flippe and Douglas R. O'Connell.

Raymondville: Oscar M. Stetson with new patrolmen Roy P. Robbins and James A. Bussey. Falfurrias: Kenneth S. Lenington, Joseph Sureck, Bernard F. Mecke, Charles L. Austin, Early U. Nelson, John L. Nolan, Edward S. Callihan, with new patrolmen Daniel E. Kornegay, David Snow and Leon F. Bugh. Kingsville: William A. Fleming, Edmund H. Levy, Jesse W. Jones, Virgil R. Clark and Carl F. Frazier.

MOVE TO LOUISIANA

MISSION — Mr. and Mrs. James J. Nachlinger, formerly of Mission, are moving this week-end from Auburn, Nebr., to Houma, La. Mrs. Nachlinger is the former Miss Juanita Krueger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Krueger of Mission.

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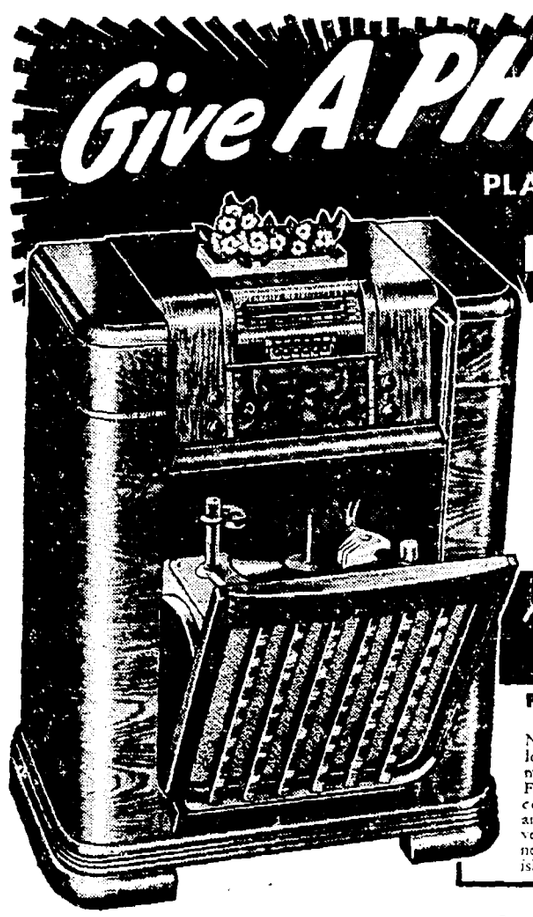

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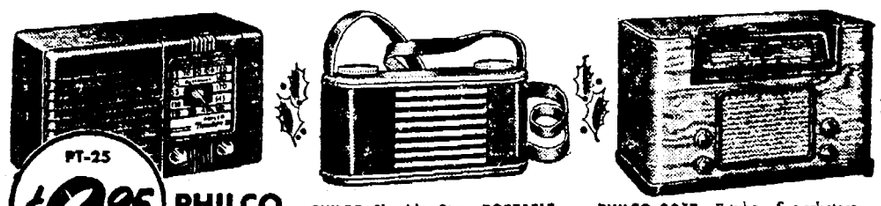

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SPORTS

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DUG OUTA The SPORTS BAG!

By E.C. Doc OSBORN

What Happened?

We were asked many times yesterday this question, "What happened to Harlingen at Corpus Christi Friday night?"

Perhaps the best answer would be one similar to that used by Dick Freeman, Houston sports editor, when he told a fan about a Rice loss—Corpus Christi happened to Harlingen.

We watched the Cardinals take that 33-6 whipping at the hands of the Buccaneers and it was a clean one from start to finish. From the time a Buc back picked up a fumble and put the ball in scoring position three minutes after the game got under way right to the final whistle, the outcome was never in doubt.

It is our opinion that the Buccaneers are at least a two-touchdown better team than the Cardinals, perhaps three at their best. We do not believe that the Cardinals played the brand of football they are capable of but if they had clicked at their best, it no doubt would have been just a case of a closer score. Had the game been played in Harlingen, the Cardinals would possibly have held the score down but we believe they still would have lost, perhaps not by such a score.

We do not believe there can be even the slightest possibility of any fan who saw the game, coming up with an alibi for the Red Birds. If so, they must be classed as "die-hards." No doubt many will use the word "if" when discussing the game but that is just a waste of time for the score was 33 to 6 in favor of Corpus Christi and that is all that can be made of it.

We frankly admit that the Buccaneers were a much better team last Friday night than we thought they were. We had not seen them play this season and were basing our opinion of their ability on the class of teams they had defeated during the season—except Robstown—and we simply were mistaken in believing that the Cardinals had a chance.

True the Cardinals made many mistakes in the game Fridy night but most of them were caused by the Buccaneers. The Buc line simply could not be budged an inch by the Cardinal forward wall. If it ever was, it happened when we had our head turned. The blocking of the Buccaneers was machine-like and the ball-carriers were put out in the clear time and time again. And nearly all of the Corpus Christi backs appeared to have plenty of drive left after being tackled. At least after the style of tackling the Cardinals were using.

Coach Harry Stietler came up with a tricky offense. We never saw it before and many times we had trouble following the ball. We were sitting in the press box with nothing else to do but follow the pigskin and we can imagine that it was all pretty confusing to the Harlingen players. In the game Friday night we saw nothing unusual about the Bucs' passing game but they really did not need it. A little shovel pass they used was a honey.

We believe the Cardinals can hold their heads high for they were defeated by a superior team. They need not be ashamed of themselves regardless of how disappointed they might be in not making a better showing against the Bucs.

Frank Witherspoon, Harlingen's offensive star, played a whale of a game and he drew a big round of applause from the Corpus Christi fans when he was taken out of the game with just a few seconds left. They paid tribute to a fine high school back who on last Friday night carried the heavy burden of being forced to play most of the game with little help from his blockers. Jimmy Grant came through in fine style. Jack McMahan, center, played far and away the best game of the season as did Ned Davis and Mike Jurosek. Charley Amidon, when he was in, gave a good account of himself. Ray Baker's punting was good.

We congratulate Harry Stietler and his Buccaneers for winning the championship of District 16-AA and we hope he goes right on and wins in the state finals. The Bucs are representing South Texas and are OUR team from now on.

Of all the cracks made regarding the play of the Cardinals against the Bucs, we believe Tommy Montgomery of Harlingen, takes the palm when he said "It looked to me like the Cardinals just lost their equilibrium."

School Elevens In First Round

By The Associated Press

All bi-district games in the Texas schoolboy football race had been arranged Saturday night.

The last was Corpus Christi and Brackenridge (San Antonio), who will play at San Antonio Friday night.

The other pairings:

Friday—El Paso High at Big Spring, Greenville at Paris, Stephenville at Temple, Lufkin at Longview.

Saturday—Wichita Falls at Amarillo, Masonic Home (Fort Worth) vs Sunset at Dallas, Jeff Davis (Houston) at Port Arthur.

These teams are the sixteen district winners who contest for the Class AA state championship.

Bob Brumley Scores Each Rice Point

Bruins Take Lead In 2nd Period

By WILLIAM T. RIVES

HOUSTON—(AP)—Troubleshooter Bob Brumley, Rice's magnificent fullback, blasted in 10 minutes Saturday the hopes Baylor held for tossing the Owls out of the Southwest Conference championship scramble.

Tired of watching Baylor push Rice all over the field, Brumley took charge of the offense in the third period and in stunning time, the Owls had overhauled Baylor and run up a 21-12 lead they never relinquished.

The victory meant that the Rice-Southern Methodist battle here next Saturday will decide which of those two teams will share a tie with Texas A. and M. for the league pennant—barring a deadlock in the game itself.

Brumley scored every one of Rice's points. He broke great holes in the Baylor line and his accurate toe split the crossbar on every try.

His grand performance gave him the conference scoring lead over John Kimbrough of Texas A. and M. and kept Rice in the Cotton Bowl talk.

Brumley's scores were made at the end of 32, 58 and 55-yard drives, all but six yards of which came in the big third period.

Late in the fourth period Baylor tried to come back, getting to Rice's 7 on a dazzling aerial offense before the Owls stiffened.

Baylor started off as if to slaughter Rice, passing and running down the field almost at will. A 76-yard drive brought the first touchdown in the second quarter, Jimmy Witt blasting over from the one-yard line for the score.

Weldon Bigony and Jack Wilson in the same period, started another touchdown spree from the Baylor 35. Finally Witt breezed 33 yards on a reverse for the touchdown.

Baylor had a slight edge in statistics gaining 14 first downs to Rice's 9—Rice made 8 in the third period, picking up 123 yards rushing to Rice 106, and completing 7 of 21 passes for 88 yards, compared with Rice's 5 in 13 tries for 77 yards.

Starting lineup:

Rice	Pos.	Baylor
Tresch	LE	Russell
Hartman	LT	Anderson
Goforth	LG	Haley
Whitlow	C	Nelson
Bassett	RG	Mickler
Kunetka	RT	Griffin
Prichard	RE	Lummus
Brown	QB	Merka
Price	LH	Wilson
Weems	RH	Witt
Zander	FB	Bigony

Score by periods:

Rice	0	0	14	7	—21
Baylor	0	12	0	0	—12

Rice scoring: Touchdowns, Brumley (3); ponts from try after touchdown, Brumley 3 (from placement).

Baylor scoring: Touchdowns, Witt 2.

Miss. Staters Trip Alabama

TUSCALOOSA, Ala.—(AP)—Harvey Johnson led Mississippi State to a well deserved 13 to 0 triumph over Alabama Saturday to give his team its first unbeaten season in modern football history.

Authoritative sources said the victors would be offered an invitation to Miami's Orange Bowl game New Year's Day sometime Saturday night. Mississippi State spokesmen said there was little chance of a decision on any bowl bid before Monday.

Johnson made the first touchdown on a 7-yard slash through the line which followed a 47-yard sprint around end. It came midway of the opening period.

Charley Yancey made the other on a fourth period 23-yard dash through middle, but it was an anti-climax after the way the Mississippi State line, featuring great play by Buddy Elrod, John Tripson, and Hunter Corhern, smeared Alabama scoring chances.

Stock Car Races Scheduled Today

HARLINGEN—A full program of stock car races will be held at the Fair Park track here unday afternoon with the first race carded to get under way at 2 o'clock.

Eight events are listed on the card and drivers from San Antonio, Corpus Christi, San Benito and Harlingen are expected to compete.

All drivers belong to the Rio Grande Valley Racing Association which insures some keen competition and racing fans are certain to witness some thrilling moments.

A racing program will be held each Sunday until further notice.

Steer-A. and M. Films At Arcadia, Capitol

HARLINGEN—The grid game which "Tradition" won, the 7-0 victory Texas University gained Thanksgiving Day over the mighty Texas Aggies, will be seen by many Valleyites this Sunday and Monday.

Films of the game are showing this Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen, and at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville.

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Lyford's Bulldogs, District 36-B Titlists

Pictured above are members of the Lyford Bulldog squad, who Friday night at Raymondville defeated the Falfurrias Jerseys 39 to 12, to add the District 36-B championship to their south zone title. The Bulldogs this year have run up over 200 points against their nine opponents, including three Class A teams, and have won six games to date while losing only three. Shown left to right on the bottom row are Emil Lagerstam, Jones Haning, Ed Nichols, Herman Freeman and Darlo Cantu. Center row, left to right, are Hulen Jones, Jake Simpson, Billy Ross, Billy Wilson and Laurence Cantu. Top row, left to right, are W. J. Busse, Bobby Terry, J. B. Ply, Jack Quick, Bobby Evans and Team Manager Wilson Batchelor. Shown at left is Coach Johnny McNabb, and at right, Assistant Coach Bill Corder. James Archer, team center, is not in the picture. (Staff Photo.)

Nebraska Trims Kansas Aggies With Reverses

Likely To Receive Bowl Bid

By RANDALL BLAKE

LINCOLN, Neb.—(AP)—Nebraska's Cornhuskers literally "reversed" themselves into the Big Six football championship and a probable New Year's Day Bowl bid as they walloped Kansas State 20 to 0 Saturday before an estimated 20,000 whooping fans.

The Huskers shot reverse after reverse, both from a single and double wing formation, as they befuddled the Aggies.

The scoring started with eight seconds left in the first half when Herman Rohrig drifted back as if to pass and the Aggies, who had been knocking down tosses consistently, spread with the receivers.

Stocky little Rohrig didn't see an open receiver, so he cut for the sidelines, outrunning three tacklers and picking up a field of blockers. The touchdown run of 14 yards was simple, the little fellow not being touched as the Aggies, caught when Rohrig reversed his field, tried desperately to get at him.

In the third period the Aggies found themselves caught off balance time after time as Walter Luther zipped around the ends and inside tackle on reverse after reverse, two for touchdowns. His first touchdown gallop was on a 32 yard single wing reverse and the second was on a 35 yard sprint on a delayed reverse from the same formation. Mike Francis kicked the extra point after the first touchdown and missed after the second. Rohrig made it good after the third touchdown.

All in all Luther carried the ball on 19 reverses for 161 yards. His average gain per play was 8.47 yards and he was dumped for a loss just once.

The one-sideness of the game is best shown by the 23 first downs Nebraska made and the 431 yards net the Huskers got from scrimmage compared to the three first downs and 11 yards net the Aggies had.

Marquette Upset By Arizona's Wildcats

TUCSON, Ariz.—(AP)—The University of Arizona Wildcats turned in their best performance of the season to edge out Marquette's Golden Avalanche, 17 to 14, in a thrill-packed intersectional football battle here Saturday.

Jack Irish, substitute Arizona tackle, saved the game for the Wildcats with a perfect 33-yard placekick for a field goal in the third period. The boot broke a 7-7 deadlock.

Navy Uses Many Backs To Win Over Army 14-0

By BILL BONI

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—The Navy football team turned a better-than-fair season into something extra special Saturday afternoon by beating the Army, 14-0, before a crowd that filled not quite all of the 102,000 seats in Municipal Stadium.

It was, finally, a victory over Army, and that is enough in itself. Now the Middies can forget about those defeats by Penn and Notre Dame and that scoreless tie with Columbia.

Navy's linesmen were too sturdy and its backs too many. Though the Middies lost sophomore star Bill Busik of Pasadena, Calif., on a first half injury and also saw Wes Gebert of Everett, Wash., go limping to the sidelines, they had others by the hatful.

Busik ran Army's first punt from his 35 to the Cadet 42 and Navy was on its way. Sherwood Werner plunged for two and Busik, in three tries, made a first down by inches. Then Navy scored on seven plays, Busik contributing 12 on a running pass to Malcolm, and plunging for the final inches.

Navy made two more threats that period, and turned back three by Army in the second quarter. Early in the third the Middies marched from their 40 to the Cadet 19. Bob Leonard, Gainesville, Tex., who place kicked a field goal and extra point last year and had booted the extra point on to Busik's tally, came in to try a placement from the 28. It was wide, and Army got the ball. But Navy went 53 yards in six plays and a 5-yard penalty on the Cadets the next time they got possession.

Howie Clark carried on three of the five running plays, contributing the day's longest rushing gain by cracking the Army right side and breaking into the clear for 28 yards and climaxed the march by throwing a 9-yard touchdown pass on the run to Malcolm.

Vito Vitucci kicked the extra point from placement.

Oklahoma Loses To Santa Clara

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—Santa Clara's Broncos found a scoring punch through the air lanes Saturday and whipped a fighting University of Oklahoma team 33 to 13.

Ory Mathews, brilliant Oklahoma halfback, did all of Oklahoma's scoring in the first period.

Before the 20,000 customers had settled in their seats, he ran the opening kick-off back 88 yards to a touchdown, and a short time later grabbed a pass and ran half way down the field to the goal.

But when Coach L. T. "Buck" Shaw put the first string Broncos in, things began to happen.

Santa Clara, defeated only once this season (7-6 by unbeaten Stanford), tied the game with 13 points in the second quarter, added six in the third and 14 more in the final period.

Santa Clara, which rolled up 229 yards by forward passing, overcame the 13-point first period deficit in impressive fashion.

Methodists To Meet College Of Pacific

DALLAS—(AP)—Jimmy Stewart, athletic director for Southern Methodist University, said Saturday night the Methodists would meet the College of Pacific in a football game at the Tyler, Tex., Rose Festival next October 11.

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Stanford Given Post As West's Rose Bowl Team

Vote Is Taken After Saturday Victory

CORVALLIS, Ore.—(AP)—Stanford University, undefeated and untied champion of the Pacific Coast Conference, has been officially selected as the conference's Rose Bowl football representative, Professor C. V. Ruzek, conference president, announced Saturday.

The Oregon State College professor said the exact vote, which came a few hours after Stanford's 13 to 7 victory over its final conference hurdle, California, could not be made public. It was believed to be unanimous, however.

Georgia Nips Tech

ATHENS, Ga.—(AP)—Georgia's Bulldogs shaded Georgia Tech's Yellow Jackets in their traditional dogfight, 21 to 19, Saturday before a homecoming crowd of 30,000.

It was Georgia's first triumph over Georgia Tech since 1936.

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S.M.U. Mustangs Wallop Horned Frogs 16 To 0

By FELIX R. McKNIGHT

DALLAS, Tex.—(AP)—Once-beaten Southern Methodist stoked its furnace after a listless start and battered down Texas Christian, 16-0, before 15,000 here Saturday.

Never in danger, but unable to get its own offense adjusted for two periods, the Methodists finally ground out a triumph that kept alive hopes for a Southwest Conference tie with the Texas Aggies and a possible appearance in the Cotton Bowl.

Spotted with injuries, its great Kyle Gillespie unable to start a continuing aerial attack, Texas Christian moved to the Methodist 27 on its deepest charge.

Southern Methodist toyed with early touchdowns, but finally had to be content with a half-time lead of 3-0 manufactured on sophomore Wayne (Bo) Campbell's field goal, booted from the 16 yard line into a churning wind.

No longer than the first play of the third period did they wait to make victory secure.

Connie Sparks, TCU end, bobbled the kickoff and guard Eddie Bianchi recovered on the Christian 28.

Fullback Preston Johnston, a running ripper, tossed in runs of seven and 17 yards to the four and Johnny Clement plunged the touchdown. Johnston kicked the point.

Then, late in the fourth period, the surging Methodist line accounted for the second touchdown. Tackle Lynn Bostick blew in on Gillespie's attempted pass, batted it into the air and Bob Maddox recovered on the Christian 32.

Red-haired Clint McClain, a powerful tackle thruster who had been knifing the Christian wall all day, teamed with Cliff Hagerman to go to the eight and then took up the touchdown chore himself, circling left end. Johnston's conversion attempt was wide.

Starting lineups:

T.C.U.	Pos.	S.M.U.
C. Sparks	LE	Simpson
Hampton	LT	Harris
Harter	LG	Ramsey
Alexander	C	Pope
Sherrod	RG	Bianchi
Adams	RT	Pasqua
Roach	RE	Tunnell
Gillespie	QB	Mullenweg
N. Sparks	LH	Clement
Ware	RH	Young
Kring	FB	Johnston

Score by periods:

Texas Christian	0	0	0	0	—0
Southern Methodist	0	3	7	6	—16

Southern Methodist scoring: touchdowns, Clement, McClain (sub for Johnston); point from try after touchdown, Johnston (placement); goal from the field, Campbell (sub for Johnston) (placement).

Valley Grid Statistics

FULL SEASON STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	Pts.	Opp.	Pct.
Harlingen	9	1	0	196	52	.900
McAllen	7	2	0	201	44	.777
Mission	7	3	0	229	75	.700
Lyford	6	3	0	207	92	.667
Edinburg	5	3	0	110	44	.625
Brownsville	5	3	0	97	64	.625
Mercedes	6	4	0	100	109	.600
Rio Hondo	4	3	1	93	91	.562
Donna	4	6	0	92	165	.400
Raymondville	4	6	0	110	116	.400
Weslaco	3	7	0	65	150	.300
Edcouch-Elsa	2	7	1	56	225	.250
P-SJ-A	2	8	1	52	143	.200
San Benito	0	7	1	24	237	.062

FINAL DISTRICT 16-A STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pts.	Opp.	Pct.
Mission	6	0	189	17	1.000
Mercedes	5	1	64	45	.833
Donna	4	2	71	54	.667
Weslaco	2	4	27	77	.333
Raymondville	2	4	25	76	.333
P-SJ-A	1	5	32	60	.167
La Feria	1	5	12	80	.167

RESULTS LAST WEEK

Harlingen 6 at Corpus Christi 33 (16-AA title game)

Lyford 39 vs Falfurrias 12 at Raymondville (36-B title)

Weslaco 7 at Raymondville 6 (A)

Donna 6 at Mercedes 13 (A)

Mission 7 at Pharr-San Juan-Alamo 0 (A)

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Alice at Mission (bi-district Class A) DNP

Lyford vs Ingleside (bi-district Class B) DNP

LEADING SCORERS

Player	TD	EP	FG	TP
Wilson (Lyford)	13	1	0	79
Witherspoon (Harlingen)	13	0	0	78
Dalton (Mercedes)	12	4	0	76
Ward (Mission)	10	10	1	73
Roberts (McAllen)	11	0	0	66
Moore (Mission)	11	0	0	66
Ross (Lyford)	9	7	0	61
Levermann (McAllen)	7	5	0	47
Landry (Mission)	7	4	0	46
Wade (Edcouch-Elsa)	7	1	0	42
Livingston (Harlingen)	4	13	0	37
Bretzman (Rio Hondo)	6	1	0	37
Callaway (Raymondville)	6	0	0	36
Ply (Rio Hondo)	5	3	0	33
Rose (Harlingen)	5	1	0	31
Avila (Donna)	5	0	0	30
Stevens (Weslaco)	5	0	0	30

Shot Put Is First In Maryland Race

BOWIE, Md.—(AP)—A crowd of 15,000 saw Mrs. Marie Evans' Shot Put, marathon champion of the year, score an easy victory in the Bryan and O'Hara Memorial Handicap Saturday as the major eastern racing season closed for the winter.

The hero of the New York and Exterminator handicaps took the $7,875 winner's share and a trophy by three full lengths, running the mile and three-sixteenths over a dull track in 2:00 2-5 to pay $12.80 in the mutels.

Underdog Oregon Is Winner Over Staters

CORVALLIS, Ore.—(AP)—An underdog University of Oregon football team unleashed a smashing ground assault here Saturday to grind its traditional foe, Oregon State, into submission 20 to 0.

Oregon had been defeated four straight years by Oregon State.

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Stanford Has Rose Bowl And No Foe

By MORTIMER KREEGER

NEW OLEANS —(AP)— Before even one of the Rose Bowl participants was officially decided, Sugar Bowl authorities announced Saturday they had landed the only available unbeaten, untied football teams in the country—Boston College and Tennessee—for their New Year's Day game.

Little Surprise

The announcement caused little surprise. Ever since Boston College romped over Tulane 27-7 here last September, before the eyes of most of the men who choose the Sugar Bowl teams, it had been conceded the Eagles were welcome to fly back here January 1 if they should go through their season undefeated.

This they did, although they gained only a narrow 7-0 victory over a supposedl much inferior Holy Cross team Saturday.

Tennessee had been considered the most probable opponent, although since Texas U. upset the Rose-Bowl bound Texas Aggies last Thursday many believed the Volunteers would now go to the Rose Bowl and Nebraska would be the Sugar Bowl choice.

Stanford Tops Calif.

The teams were announced at 5 p.m., in the offices of the New Orleans Mid-Winter Sports Association while Stanford successfully was battling California for undisputed possession of the Pacific Coast Conference title, which carries automatic entrance to the Rose Bowl and the right to invite an opponent.

Word of Tennessee's 20-0 victory over Vanderbilt had been received only a half hour before.

Sugar Bowl Sold Out

The Sugar Bowl's 73,000 seats have been sold out for several days, except for a few "combination tickets" to all sports events on the mid-winter calendar and several thousand reserved for disposal by the participating teams.

Tennessee thus becomes the first team ever to go to three bowls, which it does on successive years. In 1939 it beat Oklahoma in the Orange Bowl and this year lost to Southern California in the Rose Bowl.

Boston College lost to Clemson in the Dallas Cotton Bowl 3-6 last January 1.

Baseball Minors In Annual Meet

NEW YORK — (AP) — Baseball's elete will start gathering in Atlanta this week-end for the annual minor league meetings and if what the boys have been saying is true, a lot of things ought to start happening right away. . . . There won't be any legislative fireworks this year to match the 1939 sessions at Cincinnati, when they tried to scalp foxy old Judge Landis, but more trading is in prospect. . . . All the major league clubs will be represented and most of the managers will be there except Joe McCarthy. . . He and Prexy Ed Barrow are saving their bunions for the major league powwowing at Chicago the following week.

The Brooklyn Dodgers have been brewing a deal with the St. Louis Cardinals that will involve catchers Mickey Owen, Gus Mancuso, Cash and other players. . . . Larry MacPhail already has left New York, intending to be first on the scene. . . . Washington wants to get hold of a couple of infielders and Clark Griffith probably will grab somebody. . . . He also wants an outfielder and might take Ben Chapman off Roger Peckinpaugh's hands at Cleveland. . . . The Chicago Cubs also are almost certain to do some swapping. The Red Sox would like to get catcher Frank Hayes of the A's. . . . Some of the other clubs have been waiting patiently for the finish of football to announce some matters of moment.

While the majors doubtless will grab most of the publicity, it is the minors' meeting and they have a lot of affairs to attend, especially naming of managers. . . . George Weiss is expected to decide on the Kansas City pilot while there. . . . Three International League jobs are open and Gabby Hartnett, late of the cubs, is seeking employment.

Hardin-Simmons Gets 13th Win

BROWNWOOD— (AP) —Led by a pass-flipping scat back, 150-pound L. B. Russell, the Hardin-Simmons University Cowboys slashed a 27-7 victory here Saturday over the Yellow Jackets of Howard Payne—a 13th straight win for the Bowl-minded Cowboys.

Russell passed to End H. C. Burrus for two of the scores, flipped a third to End D. A. Parker, and plunged through for the fourth. He also held the ball while Murray Evans kicked three extra points.

The Yellow Jackets kept the whitewash sign away by a spectacular 53-yard pass from Tommy Samuels to Roland Warren, good for a touchdown in the third quarter.

For the first time in a 30-game series with Howard Payne, the Cowboys made it three wins in a row. Saturday's victory squares the series at 13 wins for each team and four ties. It was the ninth victory this season for Hardin-Simmons.

Santa Clara 33, Oklahoma 13
Southern Calif 28, Univ Calif at Los Angeles 12

WAKE FOREST'S CRACK GRIDDER . . . . . by Phil Berube

Major Portion Of Saturday Games Follow Form Closely

By HUGH S. FULLERTON, JR.

NEW YORK—(AP)—For one of the few times this season, major football games went strictly according to form Saturday—even to the classic Army-Navy game, considered about the toughest of them all to predict.

Navy, which had looked like the better of the two all season, won 14-0 before 102,000 fans at Philadelphia, mainly on the strength of its fine line and the running of Bill Busk and Howie Clark.

Boston College, Tennessee and Stanford all came through to complete their regular seasons unbeaten and untied and to turn toward New Year's Day "Bowl" games. Mississippi State, tied once but undefeated, hit the same trail along with Nebraska and Fordham, once beaten but so highly regarded that it immediately received and accepted an invitation to play an unnamed opponent in the Dallas Cotton Bowl.

The Dallas group and the New Orleans Sugar Bowl were first under the wire with their invitations, announcing them while Stanford was only halfway through the task of beating California 13-7 to clinch beyond argument its right to play in the Rose Bowl on New Year's Day. Tennessee and Boston College snapped up the Sugar Bowl bids as soon as they were offered. Mississippi State, 13-0 conqueror of Alabama, and Nebraska, which whipped Kansas State 20-0 to clinch the Big Six title, are considered the most likely candidates for the Orange Bowl game at Miami.

Meeting just the kind of strenuous opposition they expected from traditional rivals, and with bad weather to make it even harder for some of them, Tennessee whipped Vanderbilt 20-0 through the great running of Johnny Butler and Buist Warren over a rain-drenched gridiron. Boston College's Eagles got just the "breaks" they needed to conquer Holy Cross 7-0, scoring in the final period after recovering a fumble on the five-yard line.

Stanford again thrilled 80,000 spectators by staging two well-executed scoring drives in the first half and then by holding California for four downs on the one-yard line before finally yielding a touchdown late in the final quarter.

Fordham, upset in midseason by St. Mary's of California, clinched it Cotton Bowl invitation by whipping New York University with a fine exhibition of power. The Rams' opponent probably will be chosen Monday by Southwest Conference faculty members. In the running are the once-defeated Texas Aggies, who may yet be chosen for the Rose Bowl, and Rice and Southern Methodist, whose victories Saturday preserved their chances to tie the Aggies for the conference crown. S.M.U. defeated Texas Christian 16-0 and Rice turned back Baylor 21-12. They meet next week.

The nearest things to major upsets on the program were New Mexico's 19-14 victory over Texas Tech, which dropped the losers from the unbeaten class and Auburn's 20-7 conquest of Florida in a game marked by 16 fumbles. Florida had been a slight favorite on the basis of a couple of recent upset victories.

Georgia outscored Georgia Tech, 21-19, Duke outfought Pittsburgh 12-7, Louisiana State beat Tulane 14-0 and Maryland and Washington and Lee played a 7-7 tie in other southern scraps. Duquesne remained among the eastern leaders with a 14-7 conquest of Carnegie Tech while down in the Southwest Hardin-Simmons remained unbeaten and untied with a 27-7 victory over l'tlle Howard Payne.

Washington, coming from behind with 27 points in the last quarter, beat Washington State 33-9 to take second place in the Pacific Coast Conference. Oregon whipped Oregon State 20-0 and Southern California hung another beating on U.C.L.A., 28-12. Santa Clara's Bronchos, leaders of the coast "Independent" group, whipped Oklahoma 33-13.

Grid Results

East

Boston College 7, Holy Cross 0
Duquesne 14, Carnegie Tech 7
Fordham 26, New York U. 0
Navy 14, Army 0

South

Mississippi State 13, Alabama 0
Auburn 20, Florida 7
Georgia 21, Georgia Tech 19
Louisiana State 14, Tulane 0
Tennessee 20, Vanderbilt 0
Duke 12, Pittsburgh 7
Miles Memorial 26, Rust 12
Davidson 20, The Citadel 6
Washington and Lee 7, Maryland 7

Midwest

Nebraska 20, Kansas State 0
Springfield (Mo) Tchers 51, Hastings (Neb) Tchrs 6
St. Loius 3, Washington (Mo) 0

Southwest

Southern Methodist 16, Texas Christian 0
Rice 21, Baylor 12
New Mexico 19, Texas Tech 14
Hardin - Simmons 27, Howard Payne 7
Texas Mines 40, New Mexico Aggies 26

Rocky Mountain

Occidental 25, Colorado College 6

Far West

Stanford 13, California 7
Washington 33, Washington State 9
Oregon 20, Oregon State 0
Arizona 17, Marquette 14

Vols Defeat Vandy To Win League Title

Victory Brings Bid To Sugar Bowl

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — (AP) — The pitfalls of tradition, mud and rain proved no barrier Saturday for Tennessee's mighty Volunteers who crashed through Vanderbilt, 20 to 0, to complete their third successive perfect season and shut the lid on an invitation for a post-season game in the New Orleans Sugar Bowl.

Some 21,000 rain-drenched spectators saw the Vols crush their most ancient foe and win undisputed championship of the Southeastern Conference.

The two teams sparred for an opening that never came in the first period, but midway in the second, little Johnny Butler, the Vols' great scat back, led a 50-yard touchdown-producing march.

Butler scampered 18 yards but had 15 of them nullified by a holding penalty. Undaunted, he raced down the sidelines 33 yards to the Vanderbilt 14 and Bob Foxx swept over on a seven-yard reverse. Fred Newman added the point.

The game was a fitting climax for the 13 Tennessee seniors who have walked off the field only once in 32 games a beaten team; and that was last New Year's Day when they were trampled by Southern California in the Rose Bowl, 14 to 0.

Mississippi State Takes Orange Bowl?

MIAMI, Fla.—(AP)—Orange Bowl Schedule Chairman Will M. Preston told the Miami Herald Saturday night by telephone from Tuscaloosa, Ala., that Mississippi State had accepted an invitation to play in the New Year's Day football game here.

ARIZONA POLOISTS WIN

TUCSON, Ariz.—(AP)—University of Arizona poloists rode roughshod over the Seventh Cavalry of Fort Bliss, Texas, 11 to 2, here Saturday in the opener of a two-game series.

Fordham-Aggie Clash Said Probable Cotton Bowl Menu

DALLAS —(AP)— Powerful Fordham University, beaten once in a shocking upset earlier in the season, Saturday night accepted an invitation to play a New Year's Day game in the Cotton Bowl against the Southwest Conference representative.

President Dan D. Rogers of the Cotton Bowl Athletic Association announced shortly after Fordham's 26-0 rout of New York University that the Rams had agreed to the game.

The Southwest team will be selected by a telegraphic vote of the faculty members of the Southwest Conference next Monday, Rogers said, with only Texas A. and M., Rice Institute and Southern Methodist eligible.

It was believed fairly certain that the Aggies, mighty rulers of the Southwest for two seasons and victims of a terrific upset from Texas University, 7-0, only two days ago, would be the Fordham opposition.

However, both Southern Methodist and Rice are still in the conference running and will meet Saturday at Houston.

As it now stands, the Texas Aggies are assured of at least a tie for the conference crown and the winner of the SMU-Rice game can share the title with them. A Rice-SMU standoff would give the Aggies undisputed possession of the title—the first time in history that a conference team would have won the flag two years running.

Fordham has won seven and lost one this season, St. Mary's Galloping Gaels, traditional rival from the Pacific Coast, coming east to give them a 9-6 defeat on a field goal in the closing minutes of play.

The Rams knocked off Purdue, 13-7; North Carolina, 14-0; Arkansas, 27-7; Tulane, 20-7; Pittsburgh, 24-12; West Virginia, 20-7; and New York University, 26-0.

Nineteen straight victories, including a Sugar Bowl victory over Tulane, were behind the Aggies when they fell before their 46-year-old traditional rival, Texas, in the greatest upset of the nation this week.

The Aggies had defeated UCLA, 7-0; Southern Methodist, 19-7; Rice, 25-0; Baylor, 14-7; Texas Christian, 21-7; Arkansas, 17-0; Tulsa, 41-6, and Texas A. and I., 26-0.

New Mexico Tops Tech Red Raiders

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M.—(AP)—A ball-hawking New Mexico University football team toppled Texas Tech's Red Raiders from undefeated ranking here Saturday, grabbing at every break for a 19 to 14 victory.

Out-maneuvering their highly-rated foes at every turn, the alert Lobos struck like lightning for a pair of touchdowns in the opening period and jammed through another in the third; then halted an all-out Raider offensive which netted a threatening 14 tallies in the final quarter.

The late-maturing New Mexico team, winning for their first time in six years of competition against the Raiders, ended an otherwise mediocre season in a flash of brilliance. Saturday's victory, coupled with last Saturday's upset of Arizona ,put the skids under two strong bowl possibilities.

Had Arizona won last week, it would haev been champion of the Border Conference, and host team in the El Paso Sun Bowl.

Tech, previously tied only by Oklahoma Aggies and victor over such elevens as Brigham Young, Wake Forest, Centenary and Marquette, had been mentioned for the Dallas Cotton Bowl and several other post-season contests.

Scotch Tourney Set For Sunday

HARLINGEN — The first Scotch tournament of the season will be held at the Harlingen municipal course, unday, December 8.

Play will start at 1:00 p.m. and all Valley golfers are invited to enter. Individual foursomes may be made up by the players themselves or an effort will be made to arrange for partners for all individual entrants.

Following the tournament a supper will be served. Those planning to enter are requested to do so as early as possible.

The Nazis' Gestapo is merely a word coined from the first syllables of its three-word official title—the Geheime Staats Politize.

Stanford's Indians Take 13-7 Win Over California

By RUSSELL NEWLAND

BERKELEY, Calif.—(AP)—Cleated football warriors of Stanford carved the final chapter of the most gripping gridiron story in Far Western history Saturday with a hard fought 13 to 7 win over the University of California.

It was a story of a comeback from a 1939 season that saw Stanford finish last in the Pacific Coast Conference ra to a 1940 wind-up that bagged the title and battered down the Rose Bowl doors.

Twe touchdown drives in the second period posted the points that brought Stanford undisputed leadership in the conference and the nomination to the New Year's Day classic at Pasadena.

The Indians finished as the only major college team in the Far West with neither defeat nor tie.

California opened the game without the services of its great left tackle, Bob Reinhard, hospitalized Friday night with influenza.

On the second play after the kickoff, California's first string right halfback, Jim Jirkovich, went out of action from a kick in the head.

After a California drive midway of the opening period, which netted two first downs, Stanford cut loose from its own 42 it advanced to California's one yard line as they changed sides for the second quarter. Kmetovic went over for the score.

A short time later, Stanford, stopped on the California 32 yard line, failed on a field goal try.

The Indians snatched at a break to take the ball on California's 35. A bad pass from center on an attempted punt cost the Bears 19 yards and loss of the ball on downs.

From that point quarterback Frank Albert and his unstoppable mates worked the ball to the two yard marker, from where Gallarneau cracked left guard for the touchdown. Albert, successful on the first placekick try for the extra point, failed this time.

When the cause appeared hopelessly lost, a complete smearing in the records, the Bears came to life in stunning fashion and scored in the last minute and half of play.

With left half Orv Hatcher and fullback Jack McQuary alternating in lugging the leather, they pounded nearly three quarters the length of the field to end up with a touchdown. McQuary went over in a nine yard tackle dent. He also kicked the extra point.

Stanford chalked up 12 first downs to 11 for California, had 188 yards net from scrimmage compared to 176 for the Bears and 34 yards by passes to none for its rival.

Fordham's Rams Defeat NYU And Grab Bowl Game

Favorite Hex Ground Into Stadium Mud

NEW YORK —(AP)— Even Fordham's favorite jinx couldn't keep the Rams from leaping into the football bowl Saturday.

Boasting as powerful a set of backs, led by stocky Steve Filipowicz, as they have ever enjoyed, the footballers from Rose Hill mopped up the Lankee Stadium's muddy gridiron with their old neighborhood rival, New York University, 26 to 0, and immediately accepted a bid to the Cotton Bowl game at Dallas on New Year's Day.

Four years ago, New York's Violets upset the Rams and kicked them right out of the Rose Bowl. Saturday, the Violets were wilted and the Rams showed both N.Y.U. and 35,000 customers they had both barrels loaded.

The Rams did about as they pleased all afternoon. Not only did they score four touchdowns, but they crossed the wilting Violet goal line on three other occasions only to have the "microscopic" eye of Referee E. H. Heintz detect a back in motion illegally and call the scoring play back.

Although "Lightning Len" Eshmont and Jerry Bluemenstock were the harder runners in Fordham's crack backfield quartet Saturday, Filipowicz did everything, and did it so well sports writers voted him the "most valuable" man in the election which annually follows the get-together of Pa Knickerbocker's football sons.

Sophomore Steve scored three of the Fordham touchdowns and passed for a fourth. Built close to the ground and about as solid as a cement post, he was the big man of the afternoon.

This was the 22nd renewal of the series, and it is doubtful if ever before one team so outclassed the other in this get-together. Fordham piled up 15 first downs to seven and 318 yards rushing to 35.

Boston College Tops Holy Cross

BOSTON—(AP)—A series of lucky breaks came to the rescue of a top-heavy favorite Boston College football team Saturday and enabled it to maintain its undefeated record and Sugar Bowl game hopes by nosing out a courageous Holy Cross eleven, 7-0, before a 38,000 crowd at Fenway Park.

Knocked back on their tail-feathers by the Crusaders' opening charge, the Eagles stumbled and stalled and never did get out of their own territory until the final period, when the climaxing break, sub end Don Currivan's recovery of Joe Osmanki's fumble, gave them the ball on Holy Cross' five-yard line.

Dolph Kissell, the Eagles' spare line-bucker, took two slams through the tired and discouraged Holy Cross forwards before scoring from the two-yard line, and Frank Maznicki converted the seventh point.

MOVE TO VALLEY

EDCOUCH — Mr. and Mrs. Clyde DeBerry and children of Gonzales arrived the past week to make their cated at present at the J. B. Lester home. Mrs. DeBerry and Mrs. Lester are sisters.

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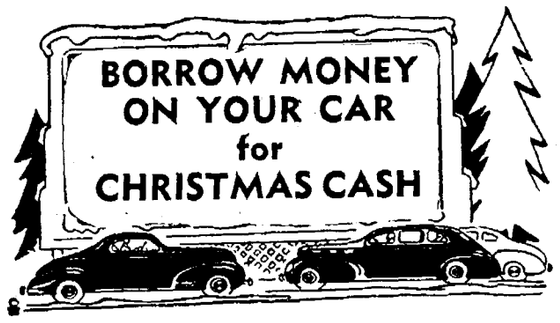

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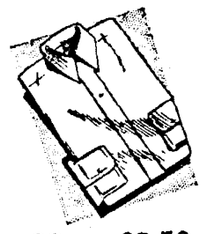

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Warplanes Fly Against London

100 GERMAN PLANES STAB AT CAPITAL

Limping Destroyer Bags Attacker

By The Associated Press

LONDON—(Sunday)—Nazi warplanes flew against London early today for the second time since nightfall while other German raiders were reported driven from a southwest town (presumably Southampton) "time after time" by an intense anti-aircraft barrage.

Gunfire was heard in the London area when the alarm sounded after midnight but the "all clear" was given shortly afterward.

British informants insisted no bombs were dropped in the raids last night on the southwest town, contradicting German radio claims.

The night raid on the town followed three daylight attacks Saturday and was the eleventh in the last three days.

(As apparent calm came to London Saturday night, a German broadcast heard in New York, said German bombing squadrons roared over Southampton dropping thousands of bombs that started eight big fires to guide subsequent raiders.)

During Saturday afternoon, at least three German planes were shot down, as anti-aircraft guns opened fire and fast Hurricanes and Spitfires rose to turn back more than 100 planes trying to break through London's defense.

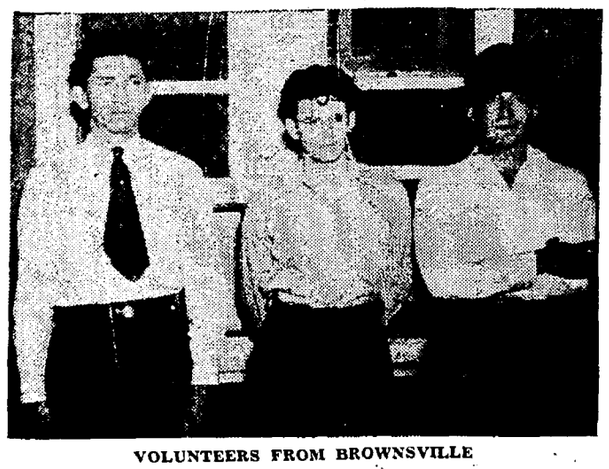
The British acknowledged the loss of two planes, whose pilots they said were saved.

The ministry of home security communique said some bombs were dropped Saturday in London's residential areas, but "no great damage" was caused.

The air ministry news service announced three German bombers were shot down, and one damaged when they attacked the torpedoed destroyer Javelin as it limped to port following Thursday's clash with light German naval forces. The three German destroyers involved were reported "repeatedly hit" by British guns.

British airmen claimed to have left a trail of fires in the shipyards of Bremen and in Cologne, on the Rhine, during Friday night's raids. Thursday night they attacked Italian Brindisi, where 26,000 pounds of bombs were said to have been dropped.

Head For Puerto Rico



VOLUNTEERS FROM BROWNSVILLE

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BROWNSVILLE — The three young Brownsville men shown above were scheduled to leave here Saturday night by train for Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, from where they will go to Puerto Rico as volunteers in the United States army air corps.

They will be sent to Louisiana prior to making the trip to Puerto Rico, they said. The youths said they will train in Puerto Rico as mechanics, radio operators and fliers.

Left to right: D. D. Zarate, Albert Champion and Lupe Luna. Zarate and Luna have had previous military training.

They volunteered at local U. S. army recruiting station, which has issued a call for men with high school educations to go to Puerto Rico.

Two other volunteers, Ernest Champion, a cousin of the youth above, and Ricardo Rodriguez, left for Fort Sam Houston Friday night by train.

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There is only one "must" in this parade, according to Mrs. J. S. McManus, director of this division of Weslaco's 21st Anniversary celebration. That one rule is that the child entering the parade with his or her doll or pet must not be over ten years of age.

Pets can be dressed if so desired, and dolls can also be specially dressed for the parade if the owners wish them that way, according to Mrs. McManus who also states that one entry can consist of two persons such as a little brother and sister combination. "Buggies may or may not be decorated," she said, adding that "anything goes" in the way of costumes for the children.

P-TA Slates Meeting

HARLINGEN—The James Bowie Parent - Teacher Association will meet at 3:15 p.m. Tuesday, it was stated Saturday.

100 RESCUED FROM SABINE

Outbreak Of Disease Feared In Area

HEMPHILL—(AP)—Boatmen Saturday removed more than 100 Negroes who were trapped on knolls surrounded by Sabine river flood waters in a strip of bottomland known as Robinson's bend.

CCC workers and volunteers sought others Saturday night. No loss of life was reported.

Two of the volunteers, O. H. Smith and V. Lynch, narrowly escaped death when their boat overturned.

Some livestock was rescued but hundreds of head drowned.

The Negroes were housed in a few cabins. There was one case of typhoid fever, and health authorities ordered serum to complete vaccinations. An outbreak of influenza or pneumonia was feared.

Talent Search

School Of The Air Seeks Musicians

KINGSVILLE—The Texas School of the Air is conducting a search for musical talent in the counties of this district, and auditions will be held at the high school auditorium at 10 a.m. on the 16th of December, 1940.

Following the selection of eligibles in the 24 districts of the state, this talent will be presented in a series of six broadcasts over Texas radio networks. These programs will be under the direction of Miss Nell Parmley, director of music, state department of education.

This "search for talent" is being conducted in all grades of the public schools of Texas, and complete details of this program can be found in the bulletin, "The Texas School of the Air," which is now available, and will be sent to any school desiring one.

Included in the Kingsville district are the following counties: Nueces, San Patricio, Jim Wells, Kleberg, Jim Hogg, Webb, Brooks, Zapata, Starr, Hidalgo Cameron Duval Kennedy, and Willacy.

A Christmas party fo rthe tourists auditions may be obtained from E. E. Chamness, deputy state superintendent, Kingsville, or Miss Nell Parmley, director of music, state department of education, Austin, Texas.

San Benito's Dads To Meet On Monday

SAN BENITO—Members of the Dads club will meet at 7:30 p. m. Monday at the high school, announced Sam Griffin, president. Saturday. A feature of the meeting will be the presentation of special dances such as "Put Your Little Foot" by students of Miss Essie Roots, physical education director.

Interpreting the War News

Dictator 'New Order' In Europe Gets Supreme Test This Winter; Most Tragic Christmas Ever Predicted; Tottering Italian Morale Is Seen

Spirit Of English Still Seems To Be Firm

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON

The cold gloom of Europe's second war winter is closing in amid multiplying signs that it may see the Nazi-Fascist "new-order" fellowship put to a supreme and perhaps decisive test.

Imponderable factors preclude even a guess as to where or how the war will end. Among the horsemen of horror loosed on Europe by the war to make this probably the most tragic Christmas season the old world has ever known are starvation and freezing cold for tens of millions of non-combatants.

There are discernable, however, certain symptomatic items indicating that there may be graver concern over the winter outlook in Axis Europe than in London. They give the lie to the Nazi-Fascist assumption that mankind in the mass can be dragooned by force alone into a new way of life.

Italy Weak Link

Intimations of tottering national morale point now toward Italy, not England. No other reasonable explanation of the Italian army's fiasco in Greece has been offered.

Tragic blundering by Italian strategists and army staffs alone cannot account for Greece's rout of her attackers against great odds of numbers and modern battle gear.

It is now revealed by Washington government reports on Italy's economic plight that the British blockade has been grinding for months at Italian morale. Sharply rationed food and skyrocketing prices are noted. That is all Italy has thus far gleaned from Mussolini's great adventure at war in Ethiopia, in Spain and Greece.

England Still Strong

By contrast, in bomb-tortured England there is no hint of declining morale. Bright visions of delivering a finishing stroke at Italy are reflected in London war news. The essential pillars of the Hitler-conceived "new order" structure for continental Europe are lacking still. Spain in the west and Bulgaria in the east are still standing aloof.

An upsurge of French public reaction has thwarted the Hitler-Laval hopes for an effective political union between Berlin and Vichy. Intimations of popular "Free French" demonstrations in both German-occupied and unoccupied France leak through censorships.

In Nazi-conquered Norway, Holland and Belgium the same story is told day by day.

Renewed Hopes

All told, Britain enters the winter season thrilling with renewed hope that Christmas, despite its war tragedies, will be a season of good cheer if not peace in England.

This official picture, British sources say, shows the inner harbor at the Italian naval base at Taranto as it appeared on a follow-up reconnaissance flight after British air raid on night of Nov. 11-12. British source says two damaged cruisers of the Trento class and one other smoking vessel surrounded by large quantities of fuel oil can be seen, together with other Italian warships.

Churchill Is Given Spitfires By Dutch

LONDON—(AP)—Prime Minister Winston Churchill celebrated his 66th birthday Saturday and received a gift from residents of the Netherlands East Indies of money to purchase seven Spitfires for Britain's defense.

ASSESSOR FINDS COW THAT KICKS RATES CLASS 'B'

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PHOENIX, Ariz.—(AP)—Stumped by a notation "class B milch cow," the chairman of the Arizona tax assessors' association asked for help.

W. O. Ruggles, Mohave county assessor, broke the puzzled silence. "That's a cow that kicks."

Texas Collegian Is Journalism Winner

PITTSBURGH—(AP)—The grand council of Pi Delta Epsilon, national collegiate journalism fraternity, declared William Engel of the Penn State Collegian and Dwight Pelkin of the University of Wisconsin Daily Cardinal, respective winners of its editorial and news writing contests.

Second place in the editorial contest went to Boyd Sinclair of the Daily Texan, University of Texas.

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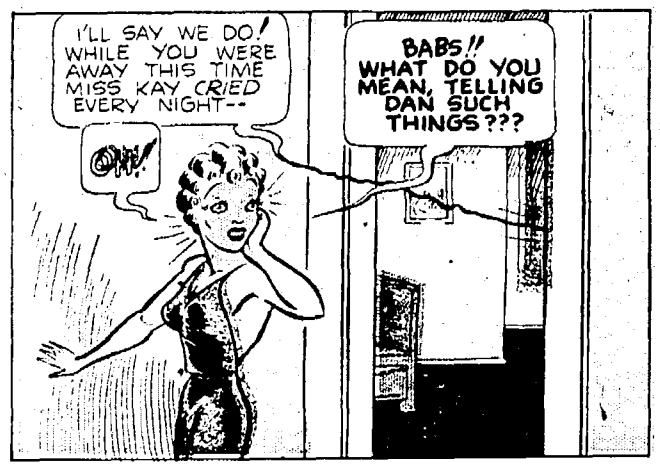

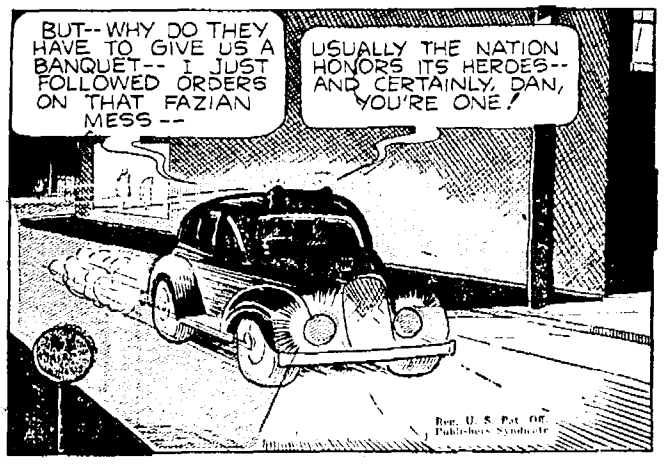

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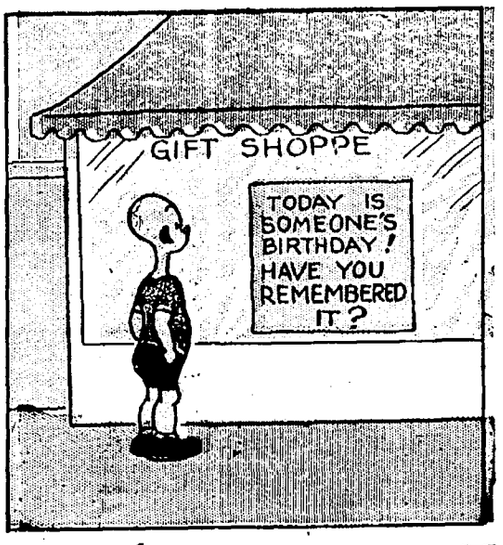

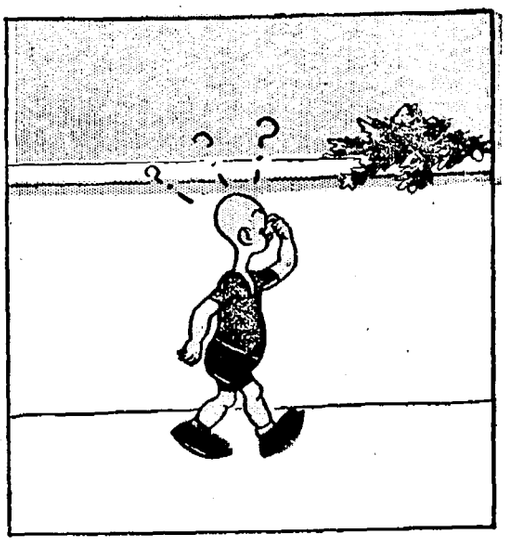

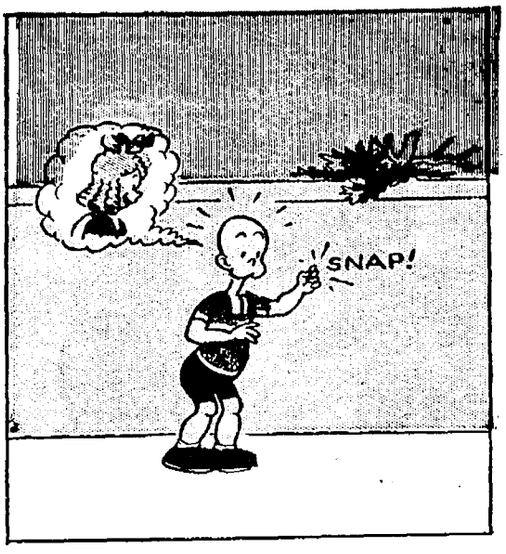

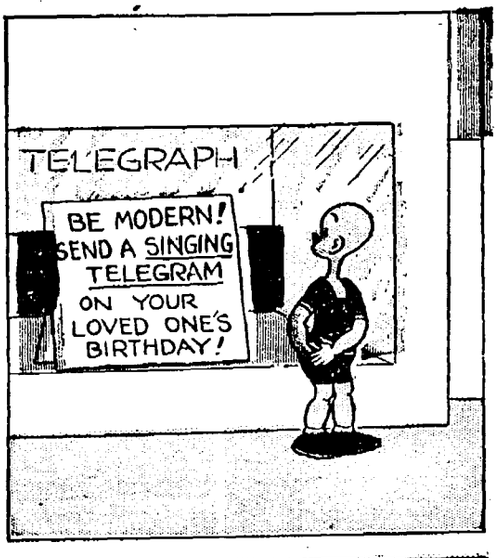

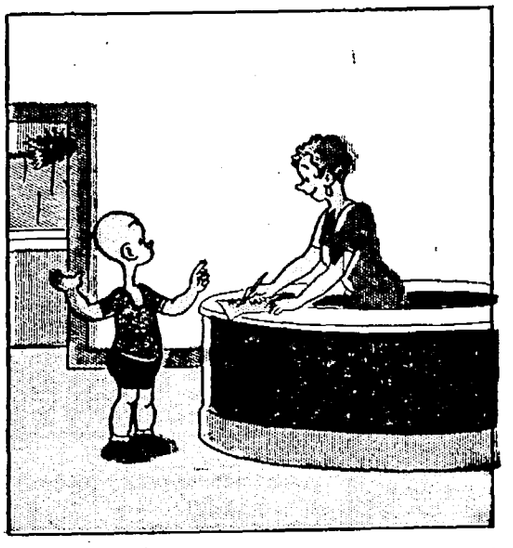

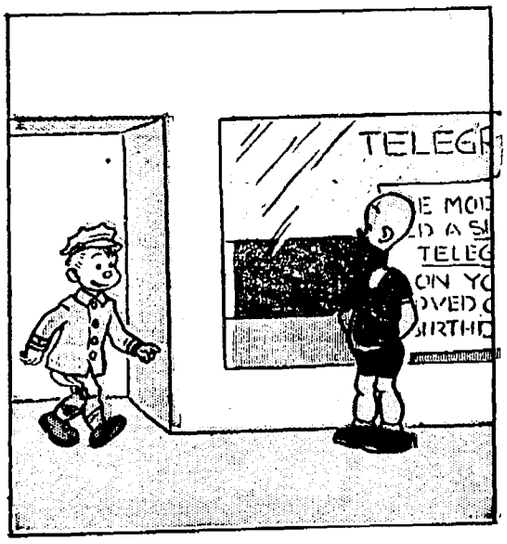

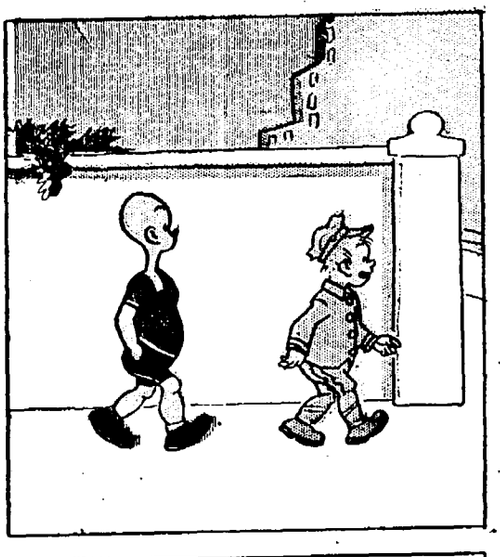

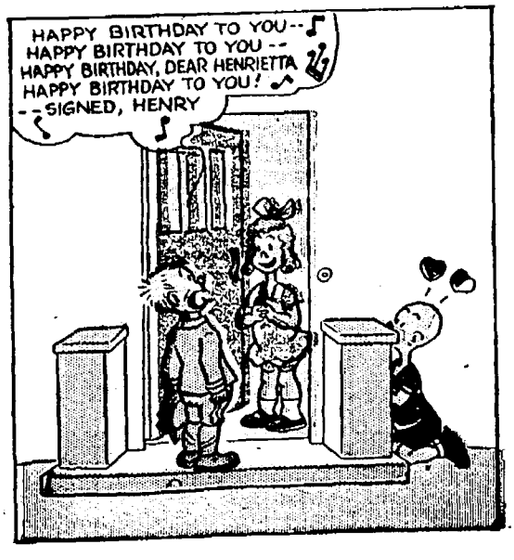

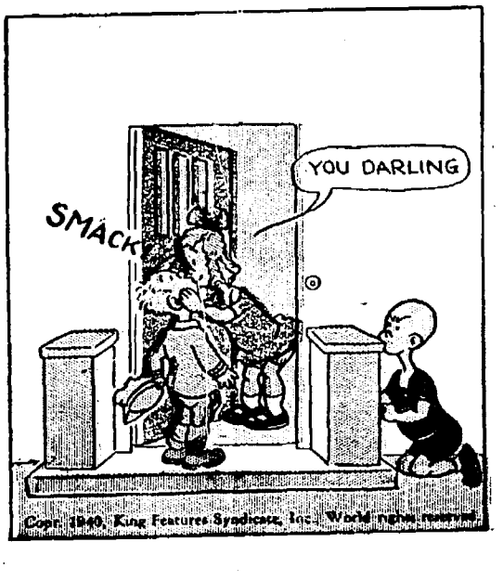

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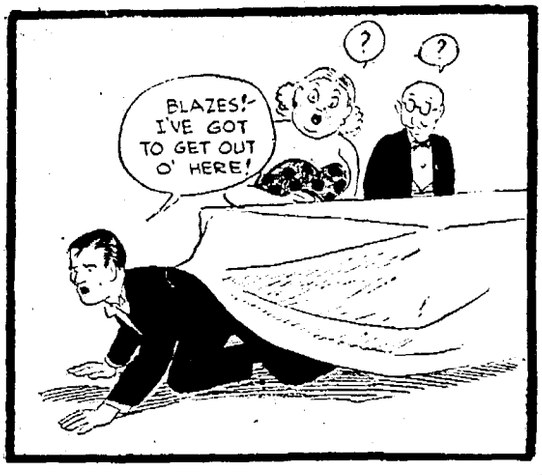

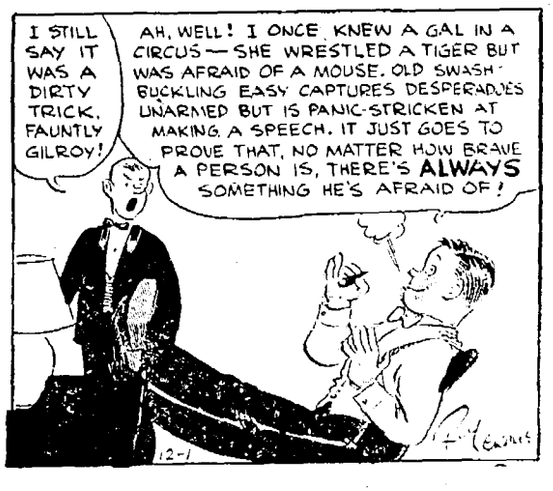

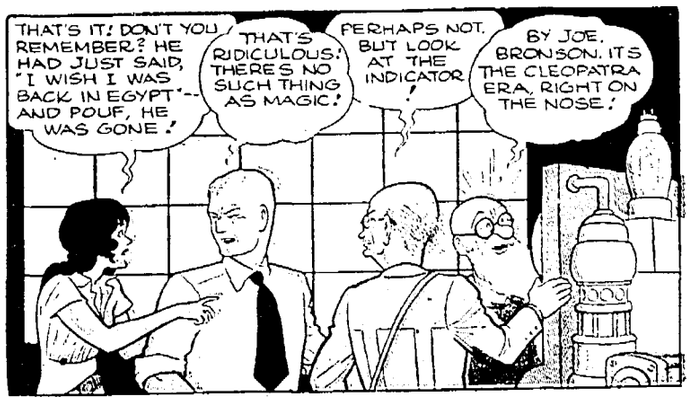

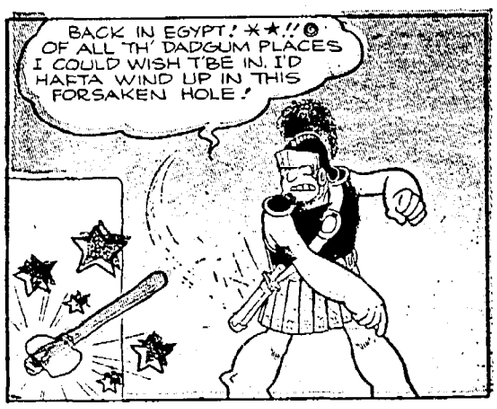

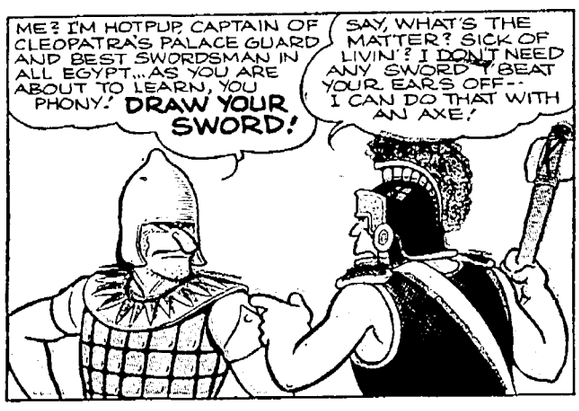

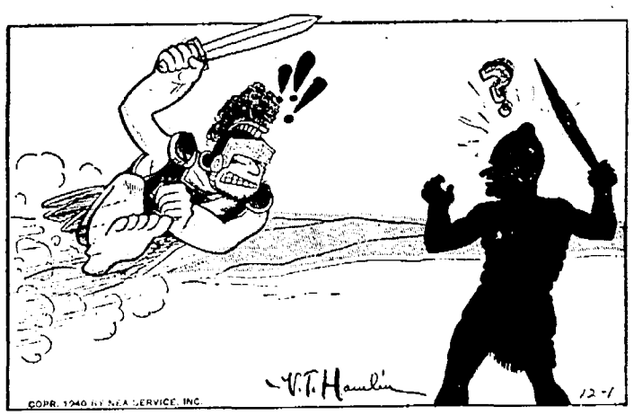

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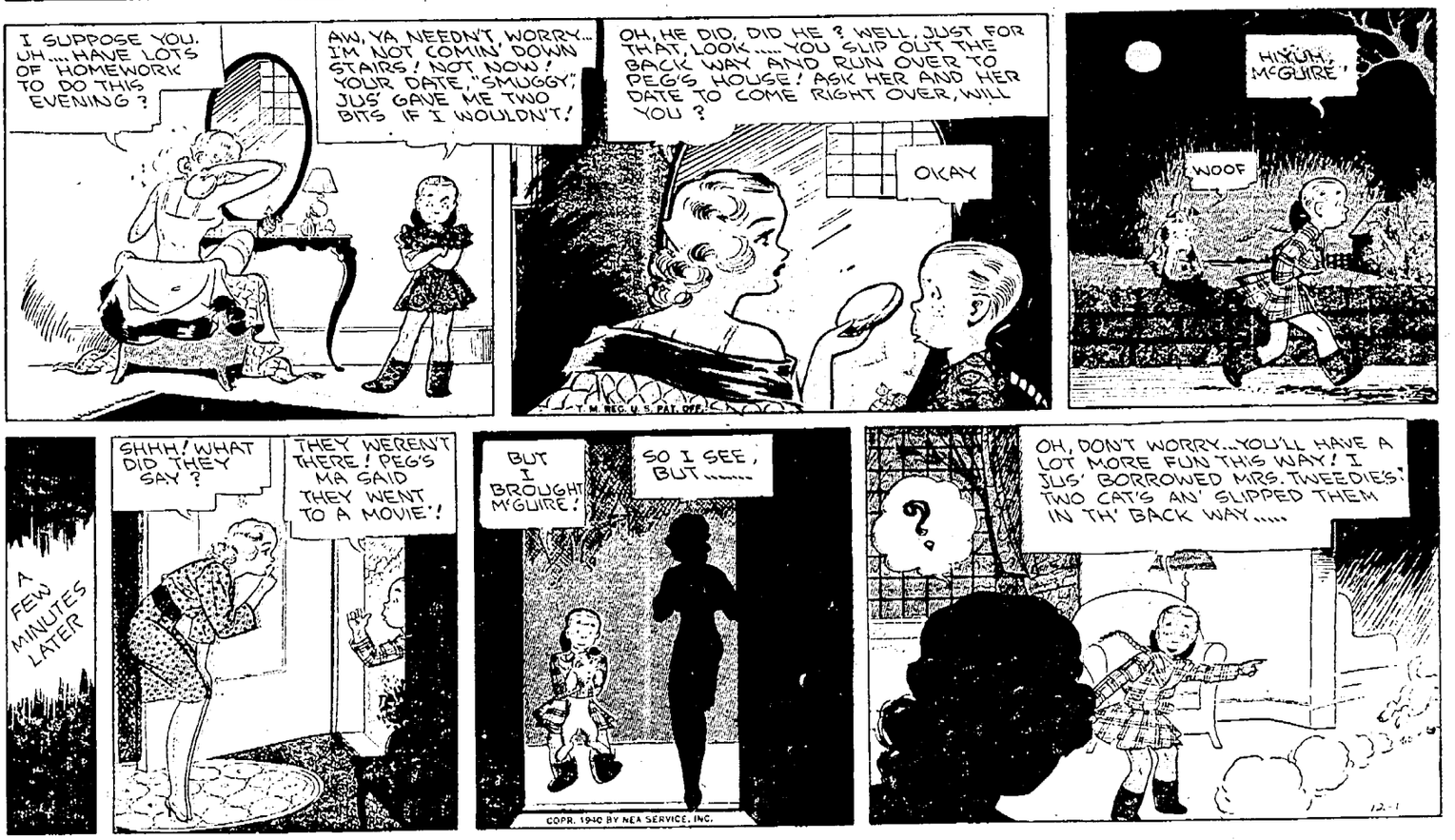

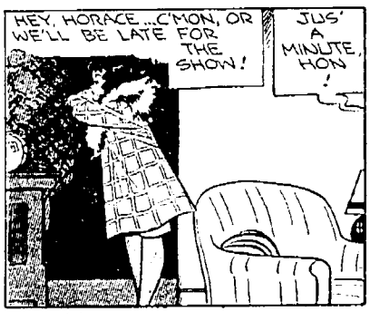

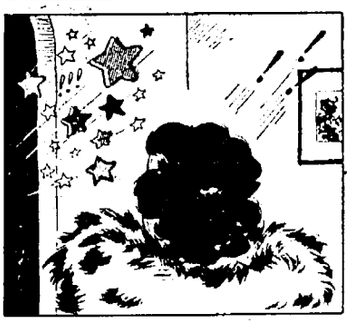

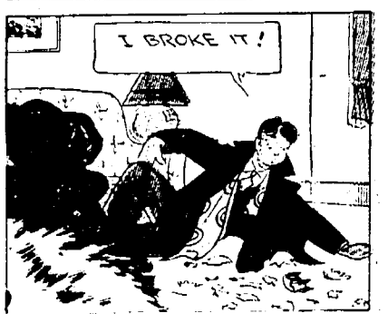

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IN THE ENEMY'S SECRET AIRDROME SOMEWHERE IN CENTRAL AMERICA!

WE'VE HAD NO WORD FROM OUR BOMBERS SINCE THEIR DEPARTURE!

NO, IF THE YANKEE AIRFORCE IN THE CANAL ZONE SHOULD INTERCEPT A RADIO MESSAGE THEY WOULD BE WARNED OF OUR ATTACK!

BUT UNKNOWN TO THE ENEMY, U.S. FIGHTERS ARE ALREADY HIGH IN THE AIR, WATCHFULLY WAITING!

THERE THEY COME! YOU CAN SEE THE MOONLIGHT ON THEIR WINGS!

DIVING STEEPLY THE AMERICANS AIM BOMBS AT THE MONSTER SHAPES BELOW

BOOM!

WE'RE OUT OF BOMBS! AND WE ONLY GOT HALF OF THOSE DEVILS!

IT'S ALL UP TO THE GROUND FORCES NOW! WHY DON'T THEY OPEN UP?

WINSLOWGRAM NO. 247

A FLEET ACTION UNIQUE IN HISTORY

IN DEWEY'S VICTORY AT MANILA BAY IN MAY, 1898, **NOT ONE AMERICAN** WAS KILLED AND EVERY U.S. WARSHIP WEATHERED THE BATTLE IN COMPLETE READINESS FOR ANOTHER!

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BOS'N HAL, Sea Scout -:- Earthquake -:- By FRANK V. MARTINEK

PURSUED THROUGH AN UNKNOWN CANYON BY THE WHOLE TRIBE OF BLOODTHIRSTY APE-CREATURES, MELVIN HORN'S PARTY IS HOPELESSLY LOSING GROUND

GUESS WE'RE - DONE FOR - AT LAST!!

SUDDENLY SOME STRANGE FORCE THROWS THEM ALL FROM THEIR FEET! HIGH OVERHEAD A SECTION OF THE CANYON WALL COMES CRASHING DOWN

WOW! AN EARTHQUAKE!!

WE'RE SAVED FROM THOSE BRUTES! WE'VE GOT TO GET OUT OF THIS CANYON! CUT 'EM OFF!! THERE'LL BE MORE QUAKES!

LOOK! THERE'S OUR ENEMY, **DOCTOR CORTEX**, UP AHEAD!!

HE DASHED OFF WITH THE PRECIOUS MANUSCRIPT BUT SOMETHING'S STOPPED HIM!

NOW I SEE! THE EARTHQUAKE OPENED A DEEP CHASM AT HIS VERY FEET!

!?!

SUDDENLY THE EARTH ROCKS AGAIN!

HELP!

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WH-WH-WHOOOOO!

IT'S THE END OF DOCTOR CORTEX!

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TOONERVILLE FOLKS

FLEM PRODDY, THE LOCAL INVENTOR

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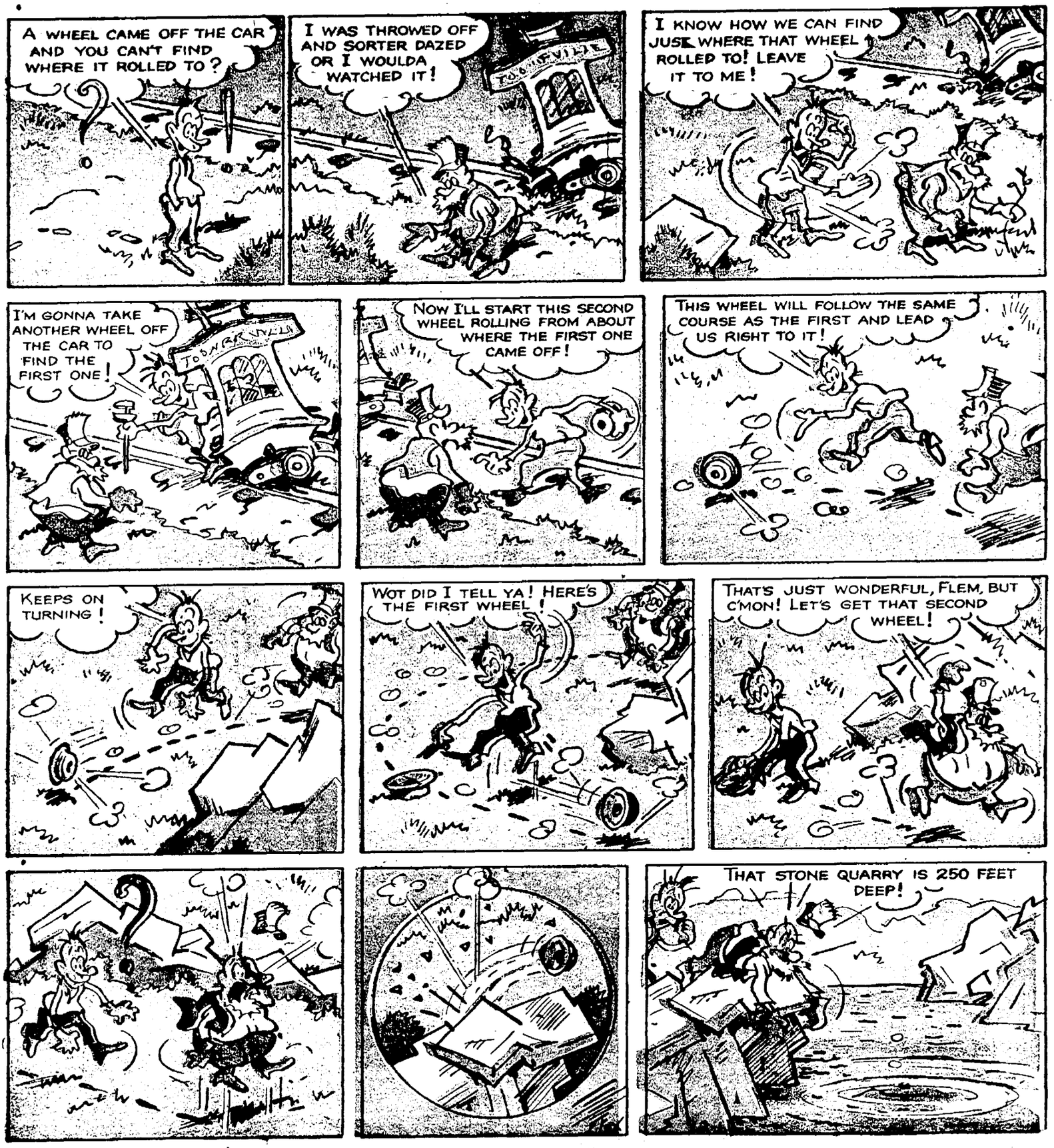

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Your children will always ask for KREE Mee ICE CREAM and they can't get too much for their active, healthful young bodies. KREE MEE DOUBLE DIP CONES or 5c BUCKETS will please them.

Double Dip Cones

LI'L ABNER

by AL CAPP

OLMAN RIVA, THE DOWN-AND-OUT (AND NOT TOO BRIGHT) HINDU MAGICIAN, HAS JUST PLACED PAPPY BEHIND A TABLE-CLOTH, WHISKED THE TABLE-CLOTH ONCE AND PAPPY DISAPPEARED.

BUT OLMAN RIVA DOESN'T KNOW HOW TO BRING PAPPY BACK.

SO **HE** TRIES TO DISAPPEAR.

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Advice fo' Chillun

IT **LOOKS** CLEAN! I'LL EAT IT WITHOUT WASHING IT!!

HA!-HA!!

HO!-HO!!

WASH AN APPLE BEFO' YOU BITE, FOR THERE MAY BE GERMS QUITE OUT OF SIGHT....

SUBMITTED BY EARL FERREL, OAKLAND, IOWA

GULP!!- **WHAR'S PAPPY?**

YO' WHISK PAPPY **BACK** OR **AH'LL BOP** YO' **BRAINS OUT!!**

("**OH!**-A THOUSAND UNMENTIONABLE PLAGUES! THE GREAT SWAMI SHOWED ME HOW TO MAKE CREATURES **DISAPPEAR**-HE HIMSELF MADE A **GOAT DISAPPEAR** WITH THAT **VERY SAME CLOTH** ONLY A **FEW** HOURS AGO-**BUT**-HE NEVER SHOWED ME HOW TO MAKE THEM **APPEAR AGAIN!**")

THAR'S TH' TABLE-CLOTH-AN' HYAR **WE** IS-**A-WAITIN'!!**

("AN UNSPEAKABLE FATE AWAITS ME **IF I FAIL!**")

RIGHT!! **WE IS A-WAITIN'!!**

("INNUMERABLE ATROCITIES WILL DESCEND UPON MY INNOCENT HEAD UNLESS I AT LEAST MAKE A **PRETENSE** OF TRYING TO BRING THAT WORTHLESS LITTLE MOUNTAIN CREATURE THEY CALL **PAPPY**-BACK TO LIFE!")

WE IS A-WAITIN'!!

ABRACADABRA!! ALACAZAM!!! SHUFFLEOFFTOBUFFALO!

("THIS IS THE BEST I CAN DO!!-I MUST THINK FAST AND TALK FAST!!")

PEASANTS! YOUR PAPPY STANDS BEFORE YOU!!

GULP!-THET HAIN'T PAPPY!!

RIGHT!- IT'S MERELY A CHEAP IMMY-TAY-SHUN!

TSK!-TSK!-YOU ARE SIMPLY SUFFERING FROM THE USUAL EFFECTS OF WITNESSING HINDU MAGIC!-THINGS ARE NOT WHAT THEY SEEM!!-I ADMIT THIS LOOKS LIKE A GOAT!!-I **ADMIT** THAT!!

HE ADMITS THET MAMMY!

WAL, THASS FAIR ENOUGH!

BUT, TAKE MY WORD FOR IT--IT **IS** PAPPY!!-I ADMIT THAT HIS APPEARANCE MAY SEEM SLIGHTLY CHANGED-BUT-IF IT ISN'T PAPPY-WHO ELSE COULD IT BE?

YO' GOT ME THAR!!-IT WERE PAPPY WHO WERE BEHIND TH' CLOTH BEFO' YO' WHISK'ED IT!!

SO-(GULP!) IT MUS' BE HIM THAR NOW, 'CEPT FO' HIS LI'L WHISKERS HIS LOOKS SHO' HAS CHANGED!!

BUT HIS HABITS HAIN'T!!-LOOK, MAMMY-HE DONE GOT INTO THET BARREL O' PRESARVED TURNIPS AN' HE'S CHOMPIN' AWAY JEST AS NATCHERAL AS LIFE!!

THASS PAPPY AWRIGHT!!

("THEY ARE CONVINCED!-THIS IS AN IDEAL TIME FOR ME TO LEAVE!")

WISHT PAPPY NEVAH HAD VOLUNTEERED T' STEP BEHIND THET MAGICIAN'S TABLE-CLOTH--IT'S A-GONNA BE POW'FUL HARD T' GIT USED T' HIM IN THIS CONDISHUN!

HE IS YO' PAPPY, SON-AN' (GULP) YO' IS HIS CHILE, NAME OF LI'L ABNER. YO' MUST TREAT HIM WIF TH' USUAL RESPECK AN' LOVE!!

TO BE CONTINUED-

ABBIE an' SLATS

by Raeburn Van Buren

AN' THE ONLY REASON I AIN'T **REALLY** MESSIN' YOU UP--IS BECAUSE YOU LOOKS HALF DEAD, ALREADY !!!

OUCH !!! HALF DEAD IS KEERECT !!!

G-GOLLY--I'M HUNGRY !!! BUT-BECKY, SHE'S HAVIN' A FINE DINNER NOW, I'LL BETCHA--ALL DRESSED UP IN A FANCY GOWN, MEBBE--EATIN' OFFA SOLID SILVER. IT ALL KINDA MAKES IT SEEM--WORTH IT--

WILBERFORCE GROGGINS WAS RIGHT. WITH ME AWAY--HE CAN TAKE BECKY INTO HIS HOME--GIVE HER ALL THE THINGS A GIRL DESERVES--THAT LETTER I WRIT BECKY BEFORE I DISAPPEARED--TELLIN' HER I WAS SICK O'LIVIN' IN CRABTREE CORNERS--WITH HER--THAT'LL MAKE HER KINDA DISGUSTED WITH ME--M-MAKE HER WANTA FORGIT--ME

BECKY--THIS IS MY WIFE--AND THIS IS MY DAUGHTER--YOUR SECOND COUSIN, LANA. I KNOW YOU TWO WILL HAVE A LOT TO TALK ABOUT!

I'M AFRAID NOT, TONIGHT, DADDY!

I'M FRIGHTFULLY TIED UP THIS EVENING. I HAVE A DATE WITH--AHEM!!! **RANDY HUDDLE !!**

OH--**YES!!** I'VE SEEN HIS PICTURE!! HE'S THE GREAT FOOTBALL HERO!!--CAPTAIN OF THE YARTMOUTH TEAM!! HE'S **AWFULLY** HANDSOME !!!

YES--MOST GIRLS **DO** GO OFF THE DEEP END ABOUT HIM--JUST AS **YOU'RE** DOING--BUT RANDY IS A MAN OF EXQUISITELY GOOD TASTE. **HE** PREFERS HIS LANA !!

YES, INDEED!! HE'S QUITE MAD ABOUT LANA! I'M SURE, MY DEAR--AFTER RANDY LEAVES LANA WILL FIND TIME TO HAVE A LITTLE CHAT WITH YOU

OF COURSE!! WE'LL GET TOGETHER SOME EVENING WHEN I HAVEN'T A DATE. **I ALWAYS** HAVE A DATE

I'LL SHOW YOU TO YOUR ROOM, DEAR. YOU WON'T MIND **STAYING** THERE, WILL YOU--FOR THE EVENING. RANDY SORT OF LIKES TO HAVE LANA ALL TO HIMSELF YOU KNOW

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OH !!! I HATE IT HERE !! IT'S ALL GORGEOUS AND SWANK I KNOW--BUT I WAS SO MUCH HAPPIER IN OUR TUMBLEDOWN LITTLE COTTAGE--JUST POP AND I--AND SLATS COMING AROUND--EVENINGS--

HELLO, BECKY--POP'S **GONE** ?--AND YOU'RE LIVING WITH YOUR COUSINS ON BLUEBERRY HILL ?--**CHEE!!**--THAT'S THE SWELLEST SECTION IN TOWN !!--SURE!! I'LL CALL FOR YOU AT EIGHT---COME THE **BACK** WAY ?--(CHOKE !!) K-KEERECT !!

RANDY !!!

HELLO, LANA--LOOK--**SURPRISE !!!** I BROUGHT MY ROOMMATE, FLAPEARS, ALONG. CAN YOU RUSTLE UP ANOTHER GIRL--FOR HIM ?

THE ONLY GIRL I COULD GET AT **THIS** HOUR WOULD BE MY COUSIN, BECKY. THAT IS--IF **YOU** DON'T MIND, FLAPEARS. SHE'S PRETTY--IN A CHEAP SORT OF WAY.

ANYONE'LL DO. THEY'RE ALL THE SAME TO ME. **NONE** OF 'EM LIKE ME !!!

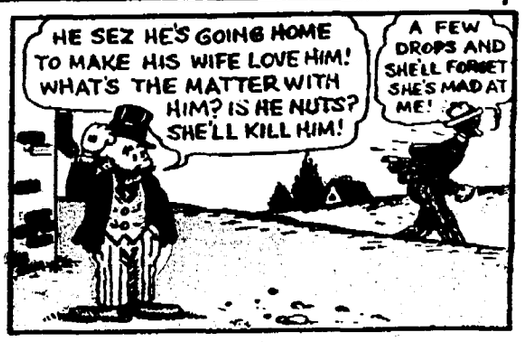
I WOULDN'T SAY THAT, FLAPEARS. YOU'RE ALL RIGHT--IN A REPULSIVE SORT OF WAY !!

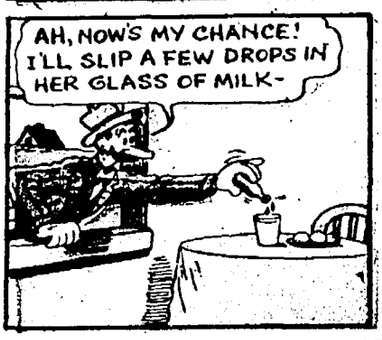
B-BUT--I **HAVE** A DATE TONIGHT---

BREAK IT--I'M ON A SPOT AND YOU OUGHT TO BE **GLAD** OF A CHANCE TO SHOW YOUR GRATITUDE FOR ALL MY DAD IS DOING FOR YOU !!

MUTT & JEFF

By BUD FISHER





CICERO'S CAT

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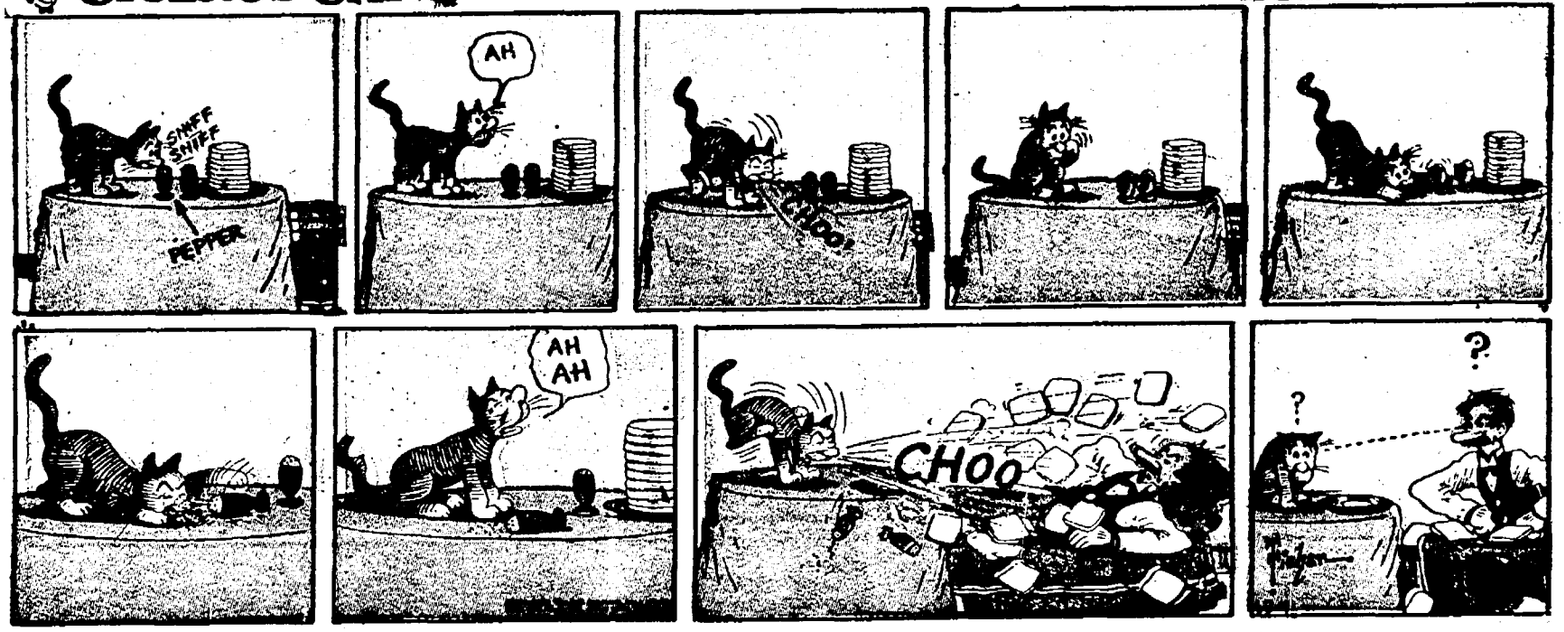

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ICE CREAM

FLYING JENNY

BY- RUSSELL KEATON

JENNY TAKES MRS. RICHMINT AND HER PAMPERED LITTLE SON, CYRIL, UP FOR A FLIGHT TO DEMONSTRATE HER ABILITY AS A PILOT!

OHH-H-H! YOUR LANDINGS ARE POSITIVELY **TERRIBLE**, MISS DARE!

SORRY, MRS. RICHMINT -- BUT YOUR SON, CYRIL, FLIPPED THE LANDING FLAP SWITCH!

CHASER

I CAN'T SEE HOW A TEENIE WEENIE SWITCH COULD BOUNCE A BIG AIRPLANE LIKE THAT!

AW, MAMA, SHE'S JUST THROWIN' TH' BLAME ON POOR LITTLE ME -- TO COVER UP HER BUM FLYIN'!

WE'LL LET THAT PASS, CYRIL! -- NEXT TIME KEEP YOUR HANDS OFF THE CONTROLS!

THERE WON'T BE ANOTHER TIME, MISS DARE! I'M AFRAID WE CAN'T USE YOUR SERVICES AS PILOT!

MIKE

COME, CYRIL!

ZZ

HERE'S ONE OF THOSE CHEERFUL LETTERS THE HOSPITAL SENDS ON THE FIRST OF THE MONTH, MR. DAVIS!

LOOPIN' JIMINY! A BILL FOR TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS! WHERE'LL I EVER FIND THAT MUCH MONEY?

THAT ACID IN MY EARS AFFECTED MY SENSE OF BALANCE! CAN'T EVEN WALK -- NOT TO MENTION **FLYING!**

GOLLY! THE HOSPITAL BILL!

RICK DOESN'T NEED A GLOOM SISTER LIKE ME AROUND! THOUGHT I HAD A JOB AND COULD **HELP** HIM -- B-BUT IT ALL FELL THROUGH!

HA! HA! THAT LITTLE CYRIL GOT YOU FIRED BEFORE YOU WERE HIRED! YOU'RE **GOOD**, JENNY! TOO GOOD TO BE A **FLYING NURSEMAID!**

BUT, MR. STARR! I **NEEDED** THAT JOB!

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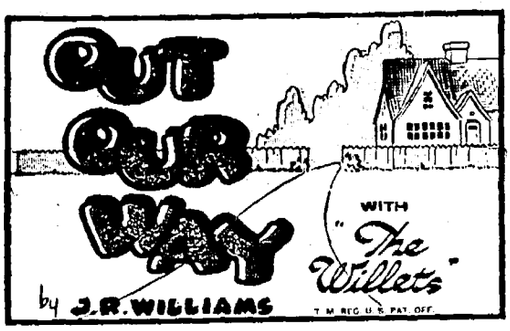
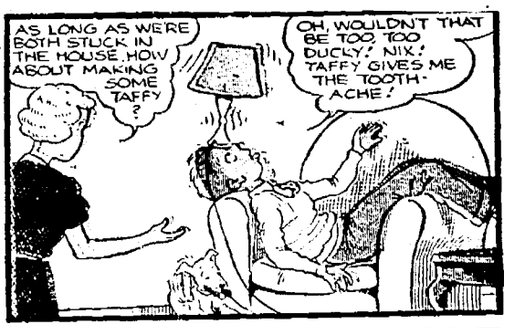
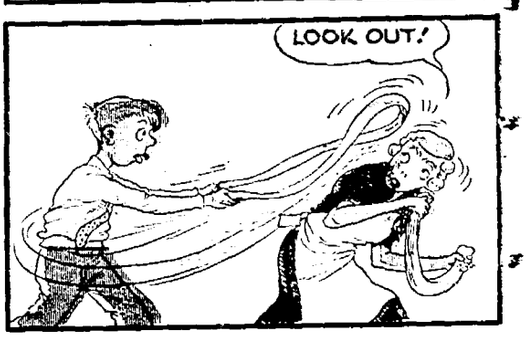
I'M MAKING A PLACE FOR YOU IN THE STARCRAFT ORGANIZATION, JENNY!

THAT'S SWELL OF YOU! -- BUT, NO! NO, I COULDN'T ACCEPT THAT! I WANT TO MAKE MY **OWN** PLACE! I'VE GOT TO HAVE A **REAL** JOB!

OHH-HH! WHAT TO DO WITH A GIRL LIKE **YOU!**







THE COMIC ZOO

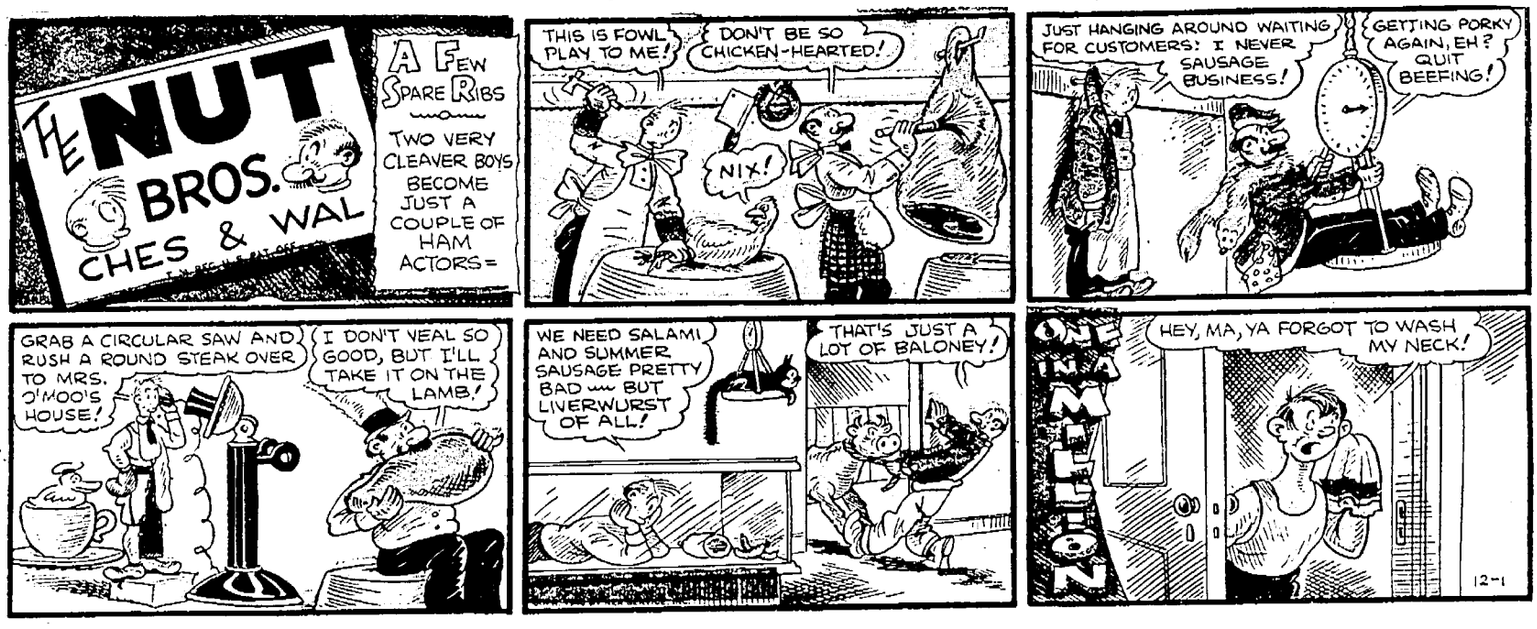
By Scarbo

Give the Family a Treat. Take a Quart Home

KREE MEE ICE CREAM

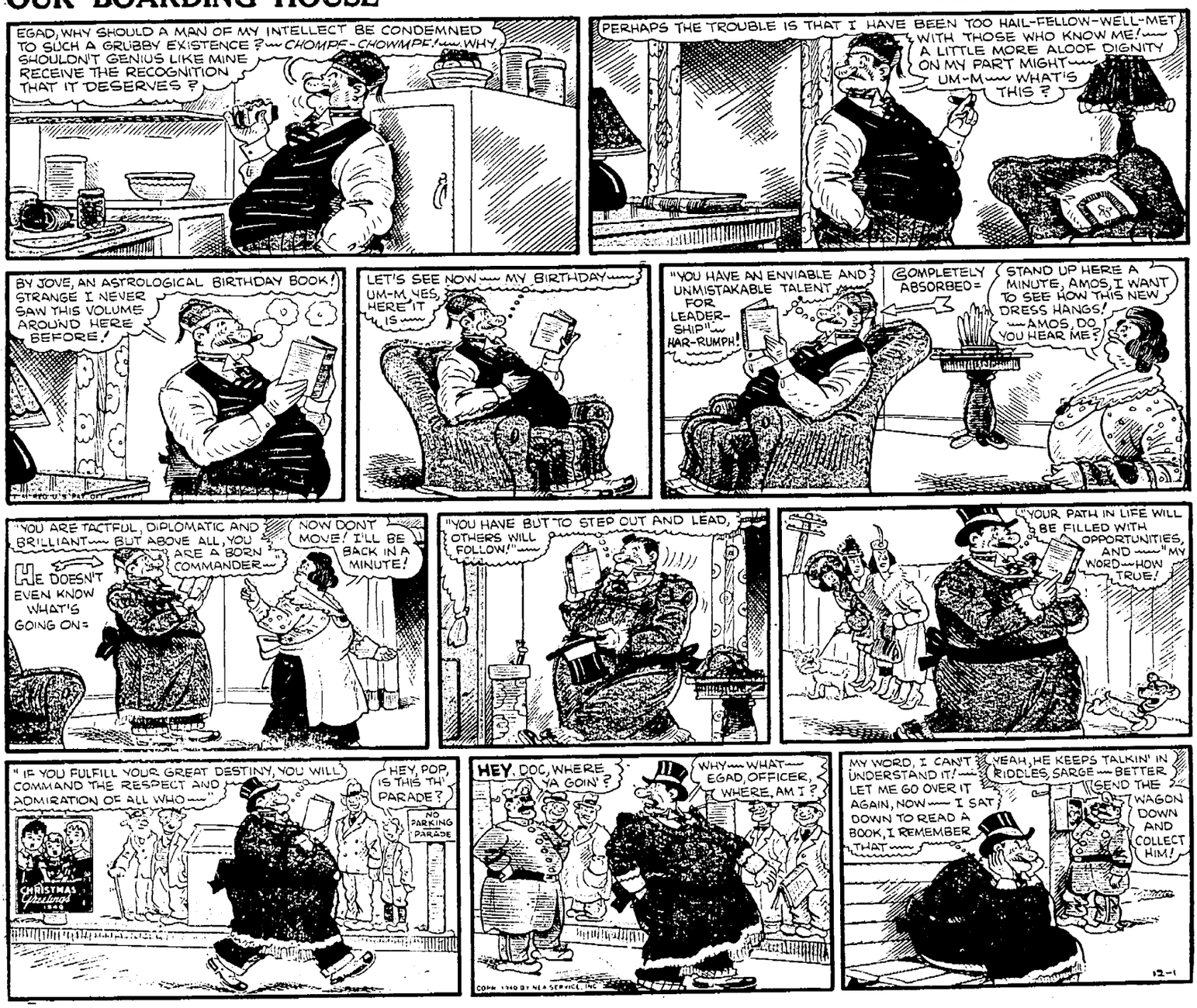
IT'S DELICIOUS — IT'S DELIGHTFUL

Make Your Party a Success. Serve temptingly flavored Kree Mee



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

MAJOR HOOPLE



You "Aint" Tasted Nothing Till You've Enjoyed a **KREE MEE** THICK MALTED **MILK**

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

by WILLIAM FERGUSON

NINE-TENTHS OF ALL THE LIVING CREATURES ON EARTH ARE *INSECTS!* NOBODY KNOWS HOW MANY SPECIES THERE ARE! AND SEE WHAT THEY'RE DOING TO US!

ANTS IN THE PANTRY BREAK DOWN THE MORALE OF CAREFUL HOUSEWIVES.

MOSQUITO-CARRIED MALARIA GERMS WIPE OUT WHOLE SETTLEMENTS IN THE TROPICS! JUST ONE MOSQUITO CAN SPOIL A DISPOSITION AND A PICNIC.

ZZZZ

THEY SAY INSECTS EAT UP *ONE-TENTH* OF EVERY THING WE RAISE.

WHY DON'T WE JUST *PLANT* NINE-TENTHS OF A CROP?

CLOTHES MOTHS IN OUR BEST WOOLENS ANNUALLY EAT HOLES, WHICH, IF MADE INTO ONE LARGE HOLE, WOULD BE MORE OR LESS THAN THE AREA OF LAKE ERIE.

MY HUNTING SHIRT!

BUT— IN SPITE OF ALL THESE THINGS... WE'D *STARVE* TO DEATH IF THERE WERE NO INSECTS TO *POLLENIZE* OUR PLANTS.

FLIES CAUSE US TO BUY MILLIONS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF SCREEN YEARLY...AND STILL THEY POLLUTE OUR FOOD.

TERMITES, ALTHOUGH MORE HONORABLE THAN FIFTH COLUMNISTS, BRING ABOUT DESTRUCTION BY SIMILAR UNDER COVER METHODS.

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

by Blosser

SHUCKS! I WANNA SEE THAT PICTURE, AN' ALL I GOT'S A DIME!

PHOOEY

I DON'T KNOW WHY THE NUMBER OF BEADS IS IMPORTANT, BUT HERE'S A STRING WITH 220!

SWELL! I'LL TAKE IT!

MOM WILL PAY FOR THE TICKETS! I'LL GO ON IN RIGHT NOW.

OKAY!

MY BOY? YOU MUST BE MISTAKEN! I DON'T HAVE ANY CHILDREN!!

!!

YOU SCRAM, KID--- OR ELSE PAY FOR A TICKET!!

I JUST BUSTED A STRING OF BEADS I BOUGHT FOR MY GIRL!

I'LL GET OUTTA HERE AS SOON AS I PICK UP THE BEADS!

YOU SIT RIGHT WHERE YOU ARE! I DON'T WANT YOU DISTURBING FOLKS... I'LL GET THEM!

ATTABOY, TEX--- GIVE 'IM BOTH BARRELS!! YOW!!

THERE WERE EXACTLY 220 OF 'EM. DID YA GET 'EM ALL?

YES....NOW YOU BEAT IT!!

SAY-Y... AREN'T YOU THE KID WHO BROKE SOME BEADS IN HERE LAST WEEK?

UH HUH!

THERE WERE A HUNDRED AN' TEN ON THAT STRING....IT ONLY GAVE ME TIME TO SEE HALF TH' SHOW!!

THIMBLE THEATRE :-: Starring POPEYE

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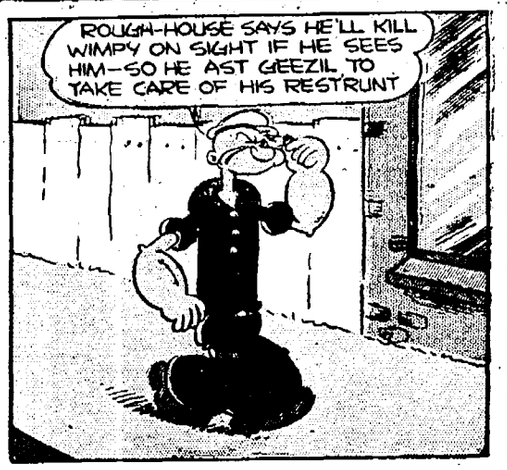

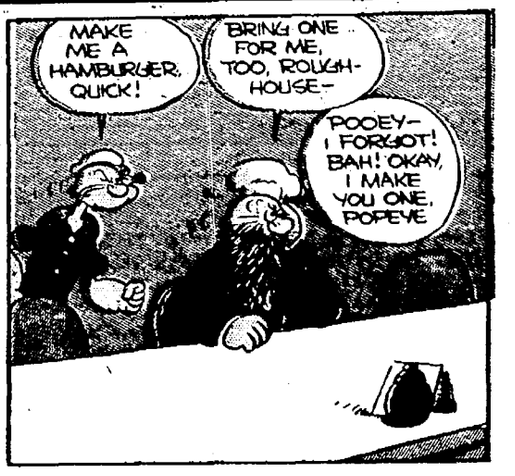

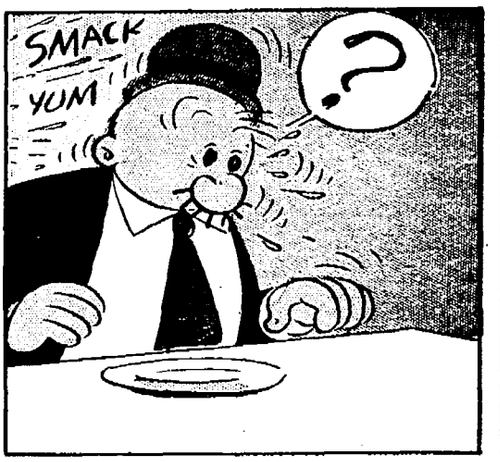

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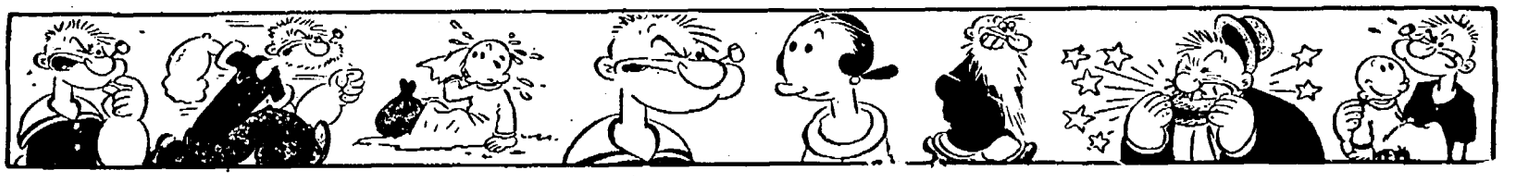

Mary Worth's Family

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"I AIN'T AFRAID O' **GHOSTS!**" I SAYS, AN' STARTED OFF DOWN TH' ROAD! IT WAS DARKER'N A TUNNEL ON THAT ROAD, AN' NOT EVEN A FARM-HOUSE IN SIGHT! AWAY OFF I HEERD A HOUN' DOG BAYIN'..! WOOOOOOo!

GOSH, PEE-WEE! CAN'T BILL BIFF COOK UP TH' **CREEPIEST** STORIES!

YEAH!

MARSH

MY SHADOW RUN ALONG BESIDE ME! IT WAS A **BIG BLACK** SHADOW! ALL AT ONCE I REALIZED THERE WASN'T ANY **MOON**! THAT **WASN'T** MY **SHADOW**! IT WAS SOMETHIN' ELSE--**BIG**... AN' **BLACK**!

BILL!

EE-YOW!... SAY! WHAT'S TH' IDEA OF SLIPPIN' UP BEHIND A PERSON THAT WAY, MARY?

I'M SORRY I STARTLED YOU! BUT I FORGOT TO MAIL THIS LETTER TO **GRANDPA BRAMBLE** IN **FLORIDA**--WOULD YOU STEP DOWN TO THE CORNER WITH IT?

RECKON SO.. WE'LL FINISH TH' STORY LATER, BOYS!

DOGGONE WOMEN! NEVER USE THEIR NOODLES!

UM GOOPH!

W-WHAT'S **THAT**?

BILL! IT'S **ME**! WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH YOU?

DENNIE!

SURE! GRANDMA FORGOT TO **STAMP** THAT LETTER! BUT WHY DID YOU RUN FROM ME? DID I **SCARE** YOU?

SCARE **ME**? WHAT A IDEA! I-UH-ER.. I JIST WANTED TO FIND A MAIL-BOX FURTHER **SOUTH**.. SO TH' LETTER WOULD REACH FLORIDA **QUICKER**!

-DALE

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REVOLUTION BREAKS OUT IN RUMANIA

Greek Navy Goes Into Action, Sinks Sub

ITALIAN ROUT CONTINUES ON LAND FRONTS

Greek's Hail First Naval Victory

By The Associated Press

ATHENS—Greek forces smashed stubbornly resisting Italians at many points along the Albanian front Saturday and made gains of "considerable depth," the high command reported Saturday night, while at sea the destroyer Aetos was reported to have sunk an Italian submarine for Greece's first naval victory of the war.

On the northern wing of the front, the high command said, Greek soldiers occuping Pogradetz, 20 miles above the captured Italian invasion base of Koritza, seized 15 Fascist officers and more than 200 enlisted men, along with six guns, 50 machine-guns and "a considerable number" of Howitzers.

Stiff Opposition

From Pogradetz on southward to the Adriatic coast Saturday night's communique said, the Greeks were on the offensive, but that they were meeting with stiff Italian oppisition.

The high command meanwhile reported Greek advances wrested new positions from the Italians "at various parts of the front," especially in the drive north of Konispolis, toward Porto Edda, major Fascist port of Debarkation in Albania.

Some Italian forces retreating toward Porto Edda were declared cut off farther north by Greek operations around Argirocastro, Mussolini's southern Albanian invasion base.

Troops Reinforced

(The Italians, who say they still hold Argirocastro, declared their forces held firm against Greek attacks. They reported their reinforced troops were counter-attacking north of Pogradetz, which fell to the Greeks Friday, but reports from the Yugoslav frontier said they were withdrawing toward Elbasani, in central Albania).

In the first month of the 34-day-old war, the Greek home security

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BOWL GAMES SHAPING UP

Tennessee, Boston In New Orleans Tilt

By The Associated Press

The program of football games for New Year's Day, 1941, was virtually completed Saturday when the major part of the 1940 college season came to an end.

Five of the nation's outstanding teams, three of them unbeaten and untied and one tied once but undefeated, accepted invitations to play in various Bowl games. Components for three of them have not yet been formally announced but indications point to Nebraska and Texas A. and M. as two of the teams that are almost certain to receive invitations to one or another of the post-season extravaganzas.

Here's the New Year's lineup as it shapes up now.

Sugar Bowl (New Orleans)—Tennessee vs. Boston College. Both have accepted.

Rose Bowl (Pasadena)—Stanford, Pacific Coast champion. Opponent not named; Nebraska appears No. 1 choice.

Orange Bowl (Miami) — Mississippi State accepted bid rather than await a possible Rose Bowl invitation. Opponent not named; Texas A. and M., Georgetown, Penn. State and Lafayette being considered. Texas Aggies, however, are considered as a possible Cotton Bowl or Rose Bowl team while Georgetown has received favorably a proposal for a Christmas Day game against Santa Clara at San Francisco.

Cotton Bowl (Dallas)—Fordham vs. opponent to be named Monday by Southwest Conference faculty members; Texas Aggies appear to be first choice while Rice and Southern Methodist also considered.

Sun Bowl (El Paso) — Arizona State of Tempe, Border Conference champions, probably against western team to be named.

Postmaster Orders 6000 Aspirin Tabs

DALLAS —(AP)— Postmaster J. Howard Payne prepared for the Edmas rush by requisitioning 6000 aspirin tablets which will be mo in first-aid kits for the use of al workers.

Camacho Assassination Plot Foiled; One Slain

Communists Blamed On Inauguration Eve; Plotters Kill Officer Leading Raid

By The Associated Press

MEXICO CITY—Soldiers and police stood guard at strategic points in the city Saturday night following military action to prevent a rumored plot to assassinate President-elect Manuel Avila Camacho at his inauguration Sunday.

Investigation of the rumor resulted in the death of Major Guillermo Garcia Gallegos Friday night in a volley of gunfire when he led a detail of soldiers in a raid on a meeting, which police described as "subversive," at Communist offices.

Among 55 persons arrested in the raid was Ester Chapa, who holds a responsible position in the department of interior. A cache of three rifles, 15 pistols, a bomb and a quantity of cartridges was seized, police said. A second shooting in which a detective was wounded occurred in a suburb where police raided a private home for hidden arms. Four more persons were arrested.

No Disturbances Expected

Despite the sensation caused by the reported plot, the inauguration of Avila Camacho is expected to go forward without more than minor disturbances, Assistant Chief of Police Cesar Lara asserted. He said Friday night's incident was of no real importance or significance."

Henry A. Wallace, United States vice president-elect will represent his country as a special ambassador at the ceremonies, scheduled for 11 a.m. (CST). In the chamber of deputies.

Wallace's arrival in the capital early Friday was marred by a demonstration of more than 200 followers of General Juan Almazan, over whom Avila Camacho won a disputed victory in July's elections.

Embassy Stoned

Shouting 'Viva Almazan—Down with Wallace," they stoned the American embassy. Wallace, however was not molested.

Police were understood to be investigating whether the demonstration and the subsequent stoning of George Washington's statue here were inspired by Communists.

General Manuel Avila Camacho today at 11 a. m. becomes President Camacho —less than 48 hours after a plot to assassinate him was foiled by government officers. The leader of the raid upon Communist plotters was killed.

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Inauguration Of Camacho Set For 11 A. M.

MEXICO CITY — (AP) — A quiet-mannered veteran of one of Mexico's two major revolutions and of numerous rebellions will assume Sunday the task of uniting a nation badly divided by a turbulent presidential campaign.

Solid, sober, conservative, 43-year-old General Manuel Avila Camacho will be inaugurated as the republic's 46th president, succeeding his long-time friend and current backer, Lazaro Cardenas.

On husky Avila Camacho's bull-like shoulders and imperturbable temper will rest the burden of solving the complex economic and political problems, such as the oil expropriation controversy, left him by his predecessor and of consolidating the social advances of Cardenas' radical administration.

Has Right Temperament

The incoming president's friends, and even his critics, say he is suited by temperament and experience for this difficult task.

Renunciation of all presidential claims by General Juan Andreu Almazan, unsuccessful independent candidate, has apparently liquidated the possibility that the president-elect might have to defend his government on the battlefield.

But the battlefield hardly would have been a new experience for him. Avila Camacho rose to the

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Snow Plows Called

RATON, N. M.—(AP)—From northeastern New Mexico Saturday came pleas for aid of highway crews to open drifts that accumulated during a record snow storm last week-end.

BOGGESS IS FLOWN HERE

50-Mile Trek Beset By Wolf Pack

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BROWNSVILLE—Ray D. Boggess, Houston finance company executive, arrived here Saturday by plane from Victoria, Mexico, after being lost three days without food and water in the wilds of La Guna Island.

Boggess was a member of a Gulf of Mexico fishing party that became separated last Sunday when wind sent the party's yacht out to sea.

The other members of the party, George Erickson, Galveston; Carleton Boggess, and Denzil Hollis, both of Houston, were found safe Thursday. W. B. Nolan, of Houston, was rescued from the boat at sea by a U. S. destroyer and was landed at Galveston.

The elder Boggess, hatless and

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US 4-Motor Bomber Due In Brownsville On Flight To Coast

BROWNSVILLE—A four-motored bomber of the B-17 type, which left Hamilton Field, California, about 12:20 a. m. Saturday on a non-stop training flight to Atlanta, Ga., is expected to stop in Brownsville on return flight.

The navigation check flight, expected to find the bomber landing in Atlanta by noon, was to continue from there to Tampa, Fla., before the return flight. Capt. T. W. Steed is in command of the ship and crew of 10.

U. S. BUSINESS MAY SHATTER ALL RECORDS

But Rising Taxes For New Year Feared

(See Babson, Page 5)

By FRANK MAC MILLEN

NEW YORK—(AP)—American industry whirled along at the swiftest pace in a decade this week, but business men appeared increasingly preoccupied with problems presented by a war-geared economy.

Taxes, inventories, prices, wages, all came in for discussion as business moved steadily toward a new year appeared certain to set historic production records.

No Retroactive Taxes

When Senator Pat Harrison revealed the administration at Washington had decided no further taxes retroactive to 1940 would be sought from congress, the news seemed only to have emphasized the fact that 1941 levies would surpass even present high rates. Some Washington quarters predicted an effort to raise $10,000,000,000, a peace-time high, by taxation next year.

To rising taxes, was being added the problem of pouring into the man of the hungry industrial machine, the fodder of raw and semi-finished materials necessary to keep up and increase its present rapid tempo.

What this means to thousands of factories, and to the markets for many kinds of industrial raw products, was indicated by the monthly survey of the national association o purchasing agents, whose members are responsible for the buying policies of a good part of the country's leading concerns.

End Not In Sight

"Opinion persists," the association said, "that . . . the haste to furnish supplies, ammunition and equipment for defense and armament purposes has many months yet to run in this country.

"Consequently, in most lines of industry, buyers cannot afford to do otherwise than have essential production materials covered well through the first half of next year, and in certain items the sooner these purchases are made the better, even though rapidly changing price structures are not anticipated in the immediate future.

"Higher production costs, which

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Woman, Grandchild Hit By Automobile

SAN JUAN—Struck by an auto in Mexiquito here Saturday about 7:15 p.m. as they crossed the street, Mrs. Maria Garcia and a grand daughter, were reported in a "not serious" condition at McAllen Municipal Hospital later.

State patrolmen said the car which hit the couple was driven by W. C. Fack, Pharr. The accident occurred two and one-half blocks north of the railroad tracks here.

Daisy Is Ill

One Siamese Twin Has Breakdown

MINNEAPOLIS—(AP)—Daisy Hilton, unmarried member of the only set of Siamese twins in America, is ill.

Daisy was stricken with appendicitis and a nervous collapse Thursday night in Tomah, Wis. The twins —both of them, of course—are confined in a Tomah hotel under care of Dr. T. J. Sheehy. Violet, Daisy's twin, is not ill, Dr. Sheehy said.

The Hilton sisters are 32 years old. They were born in Texas and have appeared in vaudeville since they were three years old. They recently have made their headquarters in Minneapolis.

An explosion trapped 31 miners at the Ohio & Pennsylvania Coal Co.'s Nelms shaft five miles east of Cadiz, Ohio. This picture shows the company's office and entrance to the mine, where rescuers were trying to reach entombed men.

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NEW CAVE-INS BALK RESCUE

31 Ohio Miners Are Lost, Is Feared

By The Associated Press

CADIZ, O. — A new hazard, constant roof cave-ins, Saturday night further hampered weary mine crews trying to break a path to 31 or 32 trapped coal miners already given up for dead.

One body was taken Saturday morning from the Ohio and Pennsylvania Coal Company's Nelms mine, rocked Friday by an explosion, but there were indications the remainder would not be reached before Monday night or Tuesday. Until then the exact death toll will not be known.

Company officials outwardly maintained the mine tradition that there always is hope, but relatives and mine inspectors agreed with John Owens, Ohio district United Mine Workers' union president, that "there's no question but that all are dead."

Besides the roof cave-ins, which showered heavy rock around rescue crews, deadly gas permitted the men to work in the deep pits only for brief periods.

Owens blamed the explosion on gas, declared it would not have happened had there been an adequate air supply and charged that "this catastrophe could have been prevented if we had adequate inspection and regulation of mines."

US October Income Highest Since 1930

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The Commerce Department said Saturday that October income payments to individuals amounted to $6,671,000,000 and were the highest for any month since May, 1930.

With good business indicated for the remainder of the year, the department said, the total of such payments for 1940 is expected to exceed $74,000,000,000. This would compare with $70,000,000,000 last year and the 1929 record of $82,885,000,000.

Aluminum Strikers Get Wage Increase

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill.—(AP)—Settlement of the 5-week-old strike of 1,190 workers at the Aluminum Ore Company plant here was announced Saturday by William F. White, United States conciliation commissioner.

White said the agreement provided wage increases ranging from 2 to 5 cents an hour for all employes.

U.S. Lends 100 Millions To China; Ignores Japan Pact

New Treaty With Puppet Chinese Ruler Is Virtual Surrender Of All China

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The United States pointedly made clear its attitude toward the Tokyo-Nanking "peace" treaty Saturday by reaffirming its recognition of Chiang Kai-Shek's anti-Japanese government and announcing a $100,000,000 credit to it.

With the ink hardly dry on the pact signed at Nanking by Japanese Ambassador General Nobuyuki Abe and Wang Ching Wei, recognized by the Japanese as president of a national government of China, there were these developments here:

First, Secretary of State Hull said at his press conference that of course the United States continued to recognize Chiang Kai-Shek's Chungking administration as the government of China.

Secondly, President Roosevelt announced that two $50,000,000 credits to Chungking were "contemplated."

KAI-SHEK OFFERS CASH REWARD FOR WANG

CHUNGKING, China—(AP)—The National Government of China offered a reward of 100,000 Chinese dollars ($6,000) Saturday for Wang Ching-Wei, head of the Japanese-recognized Nanking government, "for usurping the presidency and signing with the enemy a treaty detrimental to China's sovereignty."

One, to be made by the Export-Import Bank and to be repaid in shipments of strategic materials, will be for the Chiang Kai-Shek's administration's "general purposes" such as keeping its army of 2,500,000 in the field.

The other allocation will be from the treasury's $2,000,000,000 stabilization fund. The President said this sum was "for purposes of monetary protection and manage-

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Mob At Gatesville Breaks Up Meeting

GATESVILLE —(AP)— Deputy Sheriff T. W. Lilljedahl said a group of citizens broke up a convention of Jehovah's Witnesses here Saturday night and seized and burned literature and benches which were thrown from the second story meeting place.

Lilljedahl said the approximately 150 delegates had been warned to leave town following several fist fights during the afternoon.

New Dictator

Paraguay President Takes Over

ASUNCION, Paraguay — (AP) — President Higinio Morinigo followed up his ouster of Lieut. Col. Ramon Paredes, former "strong man" of Paraguay, and other officials of his cabinet with a proclamation Saturday saying he had decided to assume all government powers to push forward the "Paraguayan revolution."

This phrase was first used by Morinigo's precedessor, Jose Felix Estigarribia, when he dissolved the congress and initiated a dictatorial government.

Estigarribia was killed in an airplane crash last September and Morinigo succeeded him to serve the unexpired term.

U. S. SALES TAX TURNED DOWN

Installment Plan To Pay For Defense?

WASHINGTON— (AP) —President Roosevelt was represented Saturday as desiring a tax program in the new Congress which would provide sufficient revenues to meet routine peacetime expenditures, plus annual installment payments on extraordinary defense outlays.

This broad objective was reported to have been laid down by the president to congressional and treasury fiscal experts Friday night at a White House conference on the government's finances.

Total Not Decided

Conferees who reviewed their impressions of that meeting said that while the goal had been set, there was no agreement on how much additional revenue would be needed or just how it might be obtained.

The conference did arrive at two definite conclusions — that there should be no retroactive taxation on 1940 income of individuals or corporations, and that there should be no general sales tax.

In substance, the president's general view of fiscal policies was said to be this:

He would trim non-military expenditures to bare essentials in the new budget, leaving it up to Congress to determine whether it would stay within his estimates.

Extraordinary defense spending probably would have to be financed

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Thai Forces Occupy French Indo-China After Alleged Raid

BANGKOK, Thailand—(AP)—The districts of Banongkien, Bankokekrabang and Pratuchai in French Indo-China have been occupied by Thai (Siamese) forces, and reprisal raids made against Thakhek and Savannakhet, the high command said Saturday.

Thakhek and Savannakhet, towns on the border of French Indo-China, were attacked by the Thai air force, advices said, after an alleged French bombing of Thailand.

Oslo Nazi Agents Nab Secret Radios

STOCKHOLM—(AP)—The newspaper Dagens Nyheter in an Oslo dispatch reported Saturday German authorities in the Norwegian capital had made numerous arrests in a search for operators of secret radio stations allegedly facilitating espionage activi—

Miners Are Lost Here

30 IRON GUARD SLAYERS OF 64 'KILL SELVES'

Revolt Reported In Russian Areas

BUCHAREST—(AP)— Revolution has broken out among the 4,000,000 inhabitants of Sovietized Bessarabia, a diplomatic communication received here said Saturday night, because of "public indignation over scarcity and high prices of food, fuel and medicines."

Shortly after receipt of the dispatch here all communications between Russia and Rumania were severed and no one was permitted to cross the border. An official announcement said telegraph and telephone services were "cut in Russia."

By The Associated Press

BUCHAREST—In a macabre climax to elaborate funeral services over the gold casket of Cornelieu Zelea Codreanu, the Iron Guard's "martyred captain," every one of the 30 Iron Guardists who participated in the prison assassinations of 64 persons high in King Carol's former regime were reported reliably Saturday night to have "committed suicide."

At the same time, a diplomatic communication reaching strife-torn Bucharest said revolution had broken out among the 4,000,000 inhabitants of Bessarabia, the territory Rumania ceded to Russia last June 27. Wide-spread deaths and injuries were reported there.

"Mass Suicide Pact"

The 30 Iron Guards who broke into Jilava prison this week and began their revenge blood purge against those whom they held responsible for Codreanu's death two years ago Saturday were said to have "taken revolvers from a table and put bullets through their hearts after making a mass suicide pact."

Comparative calm reigned all day throughout Rumania, but nearly 100,000 Iron Guards headed Saturday night for Alba-Julia, ancient seat of Rumanian kings, where a demonstration for the return of

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VOICE FROM TOMB SPEAKS AT RITES

BUCHAREST —(AP)— After the golden casket of Corneliu Codreanu, Iron Guard "Martyr," was lowered into its sepulchre Saturday, the master of funeral rites announced dramatically to the mourners:

"Now we will hear the captain himself speak to his people from on high."

Immediately, from the depths of the tomb, came the voice of Codreanu:

"The Iron Guard must make sacrifices! The Iron Guard must endure all persecution, because in the end we shall be triumphant! Those who have persecuted us will be blasphemed by all generations which follow me."

It was a phonograph record of an old speech by Codreanu.

Dies Broadcast Is Set Monday Night

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Chairman Dies (D-Tex) of the House committee investigating un-American activities will deliver a radio speech Monday night entitled "My Report To The Nation," it was announced Saturday night. The speech will be broadcast by the NBC Blue network from 6:30 to 7 p.m.

Jap-Sino Peace Pact Is Seen As Gesture

CHUNGKING, China —(AP)— The peace pact signed by Japan and the Japanese-dominated government of Wang Ching-Wei at Nanking was described by spokesmen of the Chungking government as "a performance obviously for Japanese domestic consumption only."

"If this step would make any difference in China's ability to resist Japan," the spokesman said, "then the Japanese would have taken it long ago."

Crowd Won't Budge From Bombed Movie Till Villain Named

LONDON—(AP)—A bomb blew out the electric supply of a London movie theater Friday night while the audience was sitting on the edge of the seats watching a murder mystery thriller.

The manager got up on the stage and told the audience the rest of the movie could not be shown.

The audience refused to go home until he told them who had committed the murder.

Horses Now Living In France's Maginot Line

Alsatians Turning Against Vichy, But Revolt Spreads In Other Areas Of France

By CHARLES S. FOLTZ, Jr.

BASEL, Switzerland — (AP) — Horses are living in the Maginot Line and the stock of the Vichy government is lower, perhaps, in Alsace than in any other part of France, travelers from the "lost province" reported Saturday night.

Alsatian newspapers, publishing an announcement of the German security police, warn of "protective custody for saboteurs and greasy sparrows," and cite these examples:

Three Alsatians taken into "protective custody" for trying to break up a public meeting of the Nazi party.

A factory worker and a woodcutter taken into "acute custody" —apparently one grade tighter than the "protective" variety—because they "besmeared a public building with placards hostile to Germany."

The Germans, despite such occasional trouble, seem to have a comparatively easy time running Alsace.

French speaking inhabitants who left their homes before the armistice or have since been ordered out by the Germans, are, of course, vocal against the German occupation. The average German-speaking Alsatian peasant, however, is busy on his farm, fighting a battle against weeks of undergrowth.

Fortifications of the Maginot Line are serving as stables and barns and, in some cases, even as homes for those whose farmhouses were blasted away by the war.

Even the Alsatians who most favored the French are disgusted now with what they say is the Vichy government's lack of interest in their cause.

CAMACHO IS INAUGURATED TODAY AT 11

New Chief Is Facing Difficult Task

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top in an era when politically ambitious young men made their way by fighting in the nation's frequent rebellions. He seemed to have a political instinct right at the outset, for he always fought on the winning side.

Still A Soldier

Today, squat, sturdy and heavy in the girth, he is still fundamentally a soldier, but he is ready to tackle any political or economic issue.

As minister of national defense under Cardenas, Avila Camacho in two years won prominence for modernizing the army and making it one of the finest educational institutions in Mexico. Schools were established at which ambitious soldiers could even obtain degrees in medicine, engineering and law.

This emphasis of a soldier on education did not surprise the general's intimate friends. They knew that one of his principal recreations was reading.

Is Well Read

His library is stocked with books in Spanish, French and English, all of which he reads although he does not speak English. He published a Spanish translation of a French army officer's book, "The Education of An Army In a Democracy."

In his spacious home in Mexico City's most fashionable section, Lomas De Chapultepec, Mexico's new chief executive turns to history or economics when he wants to relax with a book.

In the midst of his public responsibilities, Avila Camacho has always found time for polo. He plays a hard game, but his goal rating is low. His other principal recreation is billiards.

Wastes No Words

He converses fluently, but to the point without waste of words. At his first mass press interview, 15 foreign correspondents were unanimous in appreciation of the aptness and frankness of his answers, which nonetheless were shrewd in what they left unsaid.

The general's wife is a distinguished beauty from Jalisco State whom he married 20 years ago. Their marriage has been childless, but they recently adopted a young boy.

When not in the city the family lives on a small ranch outside the capital where Avila Camacho raises blooded horses. The general drinks sparingly and seldom plays cards.

Avila Camacho's arrival at the presidency, like that of most Mexican presidents, climaxes a journey marked by much fighting and by steady loyalty to the governments that so frequently called on him to crush rebellions.

BUSINESS MAY BREAK RECORD

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include possible wage increases, coupled with continued high level of demand, are expected to hold commodity prices at present or moderately high levels for some time to come."

Wall Street Bothered

Wall Street appeared to be having its difficulties, just as business men were, in assessing the scores of wages, cost and profit problem.

Again this week share prices, on the average, showed a modest decline while industrial activity went on to new peaks for such significant indices as automobile production, home construction, power output and freight movement.

But stock prices, as measured by the average of 60 leading issues, are 16 per cent below the top made at the beginning of this year, and have risen only 18 per cent from the market bottom made in June.

"Business Week" offered one explanation, when it said:

"Business men hold 'suspect' the current high level of industrial activity—not so much because they think this is just a transitory advance in business, but rather because they fear it will not yield profits. . . . The feeling is that higher taxes will cut into corporate profits and in that way render nugatory the increase in the volume of business."

REVOLT FLARES IN RUMANIA

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northern Transylvania from Hungary is planned for Sunday.

(Reports reaching the Hungarian frontier said the Iron Guard may be at the beginning of a bloody "total revenge" for the slaying of Codreanu. These dispatches said the country was on the verge of civil war.)

Armies On March

The tramp of marching feet echoed through Bucharest from dawn until far in the night as almost the entire Iron Guard membership turned out to bury Codreanu and his 13 slain lieutenants.

Iron Guard officials estimated some 150,000 green-shirted men and women were in the procession, led by Premier General Ion Antonescu, Vice Premier Horia Sima, and the German, Italian and Spanish ministers.

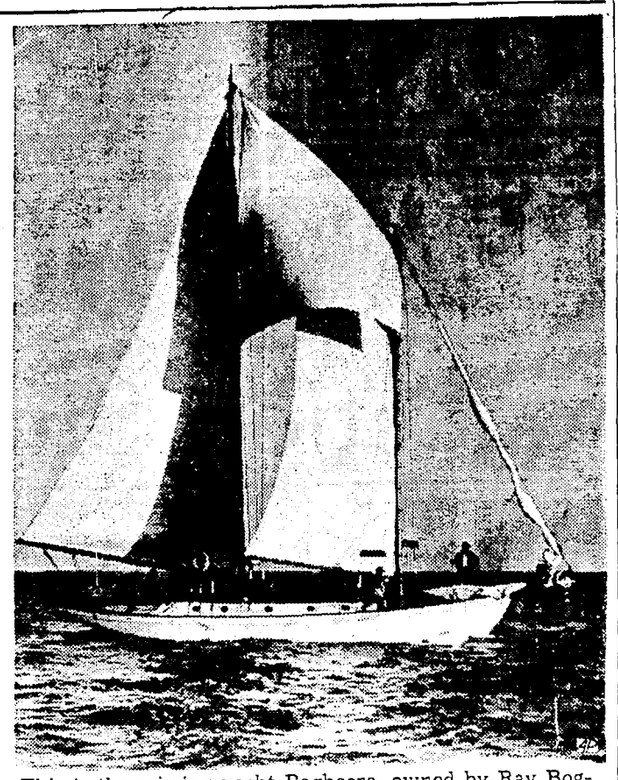
Although King Mihai was represented only by an army officer, Adolf Hitler and Benito Mussolini sent two dignitaires each. (Mihai was reported in border dispatches to have fled Bucharest as a result of the week's disorders.)

RETURN FROM CONVENTION

Rev. and Mrs. Joe Amerine, Mrs. L. V. Miller, Twila and Kenneth Miller, and Nellie Pearl Berry have returned from Dallas where they attended the Training Union convention there.

The Missing Yacht Bagheera And Her Owner

BROWNSVILLE—Ray D. Boggess, Houston finance company executive, is shown above Saturday morning at Brownsville airport following his arrival here by plane from Victoria, Mexico. Boggess, lost three days without food and water in the wilds of Laguna Madre Island, was brought here by Capt. G. "Pop" Gaither of Houston and B. G. Eubank of Brownsville. He left Saturday afternoon by plane for Houston with Capt. Gaither and Kenneth Boggess, his son.



This is the missing yacht Bagheera, owned by Ray Boggess of Houston, Tex., after the yacht was buffeted 135 miles down the Mexican coast by strong winds, three members of the Boggess party set out for shore in a skiff; the skiff capsized and Boggess went to their aid in a life raft, All reached shore, leaving W. B. Nolan aboard. Nolan was later taken off by a U. S. destroyer. Boggess was finally found and was in Brownsville Saturday. (See next picture.)

Goucher College Students Say Co-Eds Can Dress For $135 Per Year-Maybe That's Why You Never Hear Of It

BALTIMORE —(AP)— You have the word of Goucher College students that today's co-ed can get by on $135 per year for clothes. And, if papa spends more than $1,400 a year to keep darling daughter respectable, it's "just waste."

The figures are a practical answer to the question: what does it cost to clothe a co-ed?

A group of students measured the wardrobe outflow from their handbags in a clothing-budget research project. Results:

A girl can dress "adequately" on an average of $135 for her four college years.

She can dress "liberally" on $334.88.

And no queen can touch her for $1,400. That buys all this and the "heavenly," too, and there's no point in spending more.

In the $335 "liberal" budget, they reported, the main item is $69.50 for dresses. Coats and jackets cost $55.03. Cleaning and repair bills of $42.25 were the third largest expenditure.

Those hats cost $14.

Other costs were: Footwear, $30.90; suits, $13.33; blouses and skirts, $5.62; skirts an dpinafores, $6.66, sweaters, $8.75; sportswear for riding, tennis, swimming, etc., $22.20; undergarments and lounging clothes, $28.75; accessories, $17.97.

That's average expense, they explained, with any item's cost divided by its length of life. An $80 coat lasting four years means $20 a year. It's supposed to last four years. Well . . . that's what the girls said.

FEAR SNATCH OF ARMY PAY

Payroll Robbery Is Said Plotted

SALINAS, Calif—(AP)—A warning of a plot to steal the $440,000 payroll at Fort Ord brought out as many guns and guards as if an invader were threatening.

Sheriff Alex Bordges was advised by Los Angeles police to be on the lookout for a neatly dressed, swarthy man with accomplices carrying golf bags to conceal machine guns. Other warnings went to the army encampment, teeming with new activities.

The army, the sheriff's staff, city police, military police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation hastily dispatched extra guards to watch the money, which arrived in cash from San Francisco to meet the big monthly payroll for the Seventh Division troops, SRA and WPA workers.

Armed patrols cruised on adjacent roads. Army men in plain clothes, carrying rifles, walked up and down the lines of troops and civilians standing before the pay windows.

LOAN TO CHINA OKAYED BY US

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ment as between American and Chinese currencies." Presumably, it will be used to bolster the sagging Chinese currency.

Along with his statement, the chief executive made public a letter to him from Jesse H. Jones, federal loan administrator.

Jones said that in connection with the repayment of the loans, the Metals Reserve Company, a subsidiary of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation was arranging for additional purchases of wolframite, antimony and tin from China to the value of $60,000,000. Jones added that China is "up to her schedule" in deliveries of wood oil and tin to this country in repayment of previous loans amounting ot $25,000,000.

NEW TREATY IS COMPLETE SURRENDER TO JAPANESE

NANKING, China—(AP)—A "peace" treaty signed Saturday by Wang Ching-Wei and the Japanese overlords who recognize him as president of a national government of China threatens to end China's existence as an independent nation if it ever can be carried into practical effect, informed foreigners said Saturday night.

They asserted it was tantamount to complete surrender to domination by Japan—which, however, has yet to crush the government and armies of Chiang Kai-Shek (which both Britain and the United States will continue to recognize.)

Although the treaty proclaims an end to the 40-months-old Chinese war and the beginning of an era of military and economic cooperation between Wang and Japan, the Japanese expect Chiang to continue the fight.

With a few quick strokes of his writing brush, Wang signed away, insofar as he has the power to do so—economic rights of tremendous importance, and turned over to continued Japanese military occupation large areas of China while giving, also, "legal recognition" to Japanese-sponsored Manchoukuo.

Lactic Acid Hikes Female Offspring

CHICAGO—(AP)—Dr. E. Roberts of the University of Illinois told the American Society of Animal Production Saturday the use of lactic acid had been found effective in increasing the proportion of the number of female offspring in animals and that sodium bicarbonate increased the proportion of males.

U.S. SALES TAX TURNED DOWN

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through additional treasury borrowing, with an attendant increase in the present $49,000,000 debt limitation.

When March 15 income tax returns are tabulated along with the January returns from corporations, definite information would be available on revenues from present taxes. Estimates could be made on prospective income for the next year.

Congress then would know how much, if any, additional revenue would be required to balance the ordinary budget. In the light of these facts, it would consider the question of raising sufficient revenues to meet not only these ordinary expenses but to amortize the extraordinary defense outlays over a period of future years.

BOGGESS IS FLOWN HERE

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armed only with a hunting knife, walked 50 miles through the desolate Mexican coastline country before finding help last Wednesday at La Pesca, a fishing village at the mouth of the Sota La Marina river.

His partially bald head burned to a bright crimson, Boggess told how he braved the merciless Mexican sunshine by day and the forays of wolves by night during his harrowing experience.

Wolves Don't Attack

"The wolves would come right up to me at night, but they never attacked," he said.

From La Pesca Boggess caught a ride on a peddler's truck to Victoria Thursday evening and arrived there Friday at noon. He was brought here in a plane by Capt. E. G. "Pop" Gaither of Houston and B. G. Eubank of Brownsville.

Timid Draftee Says 'Not Mad At Nazis'

CHICAGO —(AP)— Policeman Milton Bass said Saturday that Thomas Reed had admitted that he failed to register for selective service and had offered this explanation:

"I'm not mad at Germany."

Line Forms As Eggs On Sale In London

LONDON—(AP)—Egg-hungry Londoners formed a queue a quarter of a mile long at a Woolwich market Saturday when it became known that a dealer had English eggs for sale. The dealer, who appeared to have an ample stock, sold the eggs at fourpence (about seven cents) each.

Captain John C. Townley of the great British liner Queen Elizabeth, met his wife on a World war transport on which she was serving as a nurse and he as an officer.

WEATHER

(Official U. S. Weather Bureau Forecast)

THE VALLEY: Mostly cloudy, colder Sunday. Monday partly cloudy and colder. Fresh shifting winds becoming northerly Sunday.

ARIZONA: Fair Sunday and Monday except partly cloudy with occasional scattered showers over mountains southeast portion Sunday. Little change in temperature.

NEW MEXICO: Partly cloudy extreme south portion and scattered cloudiness along central mountain range and Continental Divide Sunday. Otherwise generally fair Sunday and Monday. Colder east portion Sunday night.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy Sunday with scattered showers extreme southeast portion. Monday generally fair. Colder south portion Sunday night.

EAST TEXAS: Mostly cloudy, showers in east portion, colder Sunday. Monday partly cloudy, colder in southeast portion. Fresh shifting winds on the coast, becoming northerly Sunday.

KANSAS: Fair and colder Sunday; Monday, fair, somewhat warmer west portion.

OKLAHOMA: Fair and colder, much colder east and south portions Sunday; Monday, fair, coldest southeast, warmer Panhandle.

The Tides

The tides for Sunday: high tides at 2:24 a.m. and 6:18 p.m. Low tides at 10:19 a.m.

STATION	Highest last 24 hours	Lowest last Night	Precipitation (inches)
Abilene	67	50	.00
Albuquerque	51	53	.00
Albany, N. Y.	36	30	.00
Atlanta	59	33	.00
Boston	37	19	.03
Chicago	30	29	.00
Cincinnati	48	31	.00
Cleveland	35	24	.02
Corpus Christi	68	63	.02
Del Rio	63	52	.00
Denver	57	34	.00
Detroit	35	25	.03
Dodge City	60	37	.00
El Paso	52	37	.00
Fort Smith	62	56	.00
Fort Worth	65	52	.00
Galveston	70	62	.01
Havre, Mont.	22	9	.02
Huron	29	15	.13
Jacksonville	62	33	.00
Los Angeles	81	57	.00
Memphis	61	50	.01
Miami	76	68	.00
Mobile	62	46	.01
New Orleans	66	55	.00
New York City	42	37	.00
Norfolk	52	43	.00
North Platte	53	29	.00
Oklahoma City	58	44	.00
Palestine	67	60	.01
Phoenix	73	47	.00
Pittsburgh	37	23	.02
Salt Lake City	50	38	.60
San Antonio	65	58	.00
Sheridan	47	32	.05
Shreveport	69	60	.00
Tampa	77	60	.00
Washington	50	29	.00
Williston	12	0	.11

FRUIT STATIONS	Highest	Lowest	Precipitation (inches)
—TEXAS—			
Brownsville (City)	75	66	.00
Brville Airport	78	63	.00
Harlingen	73	65	.00
Raymondville	71	63	.00
Mission	68	61	.00
Falfurrias	71	63	.00
Carrizo Springs	68	52	.00
—FLORIDA			
Bartow	75	39	.00
Belle Glade	80	63	.00
Eustis	67	51	.00
Fort Myers	82	62	.00
Gainesville	64	46	.00
Hastings	67	41	.00
Orlando	68	52	.00
—CALIFORNIA— November 29, 1940.			
Oroville	65	40	.00
Salinas	78	40	.00
Lindsay	68	32	.00
Santa Barbara	80	45	.00
Riverside	85	40	.00
Escondido	83	41	.00
Imperial	78	38	.00
• DEL MAR	67	54	

Britain Asks Help Of US In Blockade

LONDON (Sunday)—(AP)—A plea to America to tighten and extend export controls "so as to insure that no vital materials get through to the enemy" was voiced tonight by Hugh Dalton, minister of economic warfare and master of Britain's blockade of Germany and Italy.

JOHNSON'S
Air-Conditioned Cafe
210 W. Jackson Harlingen
Hunters—Get your shells and meals here at any hour

HOUSE PROBES LENDING LAW

Insurance Practice To Be Penalized?

AUSTIN —(AP)— A committee of the Texas House of Representatives Saturday recommended penal punishment for finance companies that require purchasers of property to buy insurance through the finance company or its representative as a requisite of a loan.

The group, named at the last general session of the legislature to investigate fire insurance rates and procedure of the state insurance commission, also recommended penal punishment for associations of insurance agents, organized legally for the purpose of advancing insurance as an institution, from soliciting, writing or issuing policies and retaining commissions for distribution among the membership.

Modern Miracle

Volunteer Fireman Is Saved By Bricks

MADERA, Calif.—(AP)—Given up for dead by fellow firemen who saw him plunge into the center of the blazing Madera theatre when its roof collapsed, Owen Barr, 28, escaped almost unhurt—because a wall of bricks fell on him.

Clyde Hammond, 21, on the roof with Barr, was carried to his death. The two, volunteer firemen, were helping fight the fire which razed Madera's largest film house and swept through five adjoining shops.

The startling sound of a man's voice, coming from a pile of bricks in the fiery pit of the wrecked movie house, led rescuers to Barr four hours after the roof had collapsed.

Mexico To Improve Its Radio Service

MEXICO CITY —(AP)— Extensive modernization and improvement of the government wireless system is now under way, the federal department of mails and telegraphs announced.

Construction of 10 new radio transmitting stations and four emergency power plants in various parts of the republic will be included in the program, the government said.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

EDINBURG—O. C. Hollis, manager of the Kreidler Funeral home here, underwent a minor operation Saturday at the County-City hospital.

ANNUAL STAFF IS SELECTED

Joan Hagar Is Editor Of 'El Sendero'

SAN BENITO—Staff of the San Benito high school annual has been selected, it was announced Saturday by Miss Otelia Graham, faculty sponsor, and plans for its many attractive features are nearing completion. Subscriptions now total 175. W. W. Tenney is faculty sponsor for business part of the book.

The annual will be called the traditional "El Sendero" instead of "The Dagger" as it has been known for the past several years. Annuals were called "El Sendero" when first published from the early twenties to 1936.

Staff members are: Bill Symonds, business manager; John Parmer associate manager; Leonard McKenzie, second associate manager; Joan Hagar, editor-in-chief; Mary Lou Sweeney, associate editor; Billy Joyce Lockmiller, second associate editor; Tol Boswell, Jimmy Jolly, senior photographers; Betty Erwin, Richard Roiz, junior photographers; Freddie Sandmeier, sophomore photographer; Joyce Jean Brady, Flora Mae Woodmansee, art editors; Bill Bone, senior copy editor; June Gudmanson, junior copy editor; Nona Foster, senior title editor; Dick Dodson, junior title editor; Billy Hirsch, printing editor; Bonnie Lou Bryant, Bertha Chapa, Gladys Parker, typists; Virginia Alewine, Ivel Goldsmith, senior, Lucia Alvarez, junior and Josephine Eligondo, sophomore, construction editors.

Not The Champ

Antares Is Exceeded By Other Star

PASADENA, Calif.—(AP)—A sophomore student at University of California, Los Angeles, has exploded the accepted belief that Antares—huge as it is—is the largest of the stars.

Instead, he said, it is fourth biggest—far overshadowed by the 690,000,000 miles diameter of Ras Algethi in the constellation Hercules.

George H. Herbig, 20, who acts as guide and photographer at a Los Angeles observatory in his spare time and hopes some day to become an astronomer, made his discoveries in a series of studies with Dr. Adrian van Maanen at Mt. Wilson Observatory.

Blast Kills Miner In Oklahoma Shaft

McALESTER, Okla. — (AP) — A dynamite blast killed Dave Keener, 54-year-old shot-firer at the Mullen Coal Company's bituminous mine two miles west of here.

Searchers found Keener's body in room 37 of the 9th entry, 1900 feet below ground, at 10:10 a.m. They reported Keener apparently realized he was going to get caught by the blast. The position of the body indicated he had made an unsuccessful attempt to dash from the room.

Nazi Peace Feeler Is Being Predicted

LONDON—(AP)—Lord Queenborough predicted Saturday in a message to the Society of St. George, of which he is president, that as a result of the Axis setback in the Mediterranean and pressure of the British blockade "Germany may well shortly put out a (peace) feeler".

"They can be made through only one of two intermediaries, the Vatican or the White House," the conservative peer said.

Jap General Killed In Airplane Crash

TOKYO—(AP)—The war office disclosed Saturday that Major General Nobuichi Kusunoki, head of aviation headquarters at the war office, and five other army men were killed Friday when their plane crashed on a mountain in a dense fog while circling over Kaishu, Korea. Kusunoki was military attache at the Washington Embassy in 1922.

Texas Oilman's Wife Gets $3300 Alimony

DALLAS—(AP)—Mrs. L. A. Joiner, former wife of C. M. (Dad) Joiner, discoverer of the East Texas oil field, was granted judgment of $3,300 for alleged back payments under a divorce separation contract Saturday in district court.

Under terms of the contract Mrs. Joiner received $28,000 in cash and was to get $500 a month for the remainder of her life.

WAITRESS SHOWS UP PEDDLER WHO CLAIMS IS DEAF

BLOOMINGTON, Ind.—(AP)—The peddler handed the waitress a little card and a package of needles.

"These the only kind you have?" she asked.

"No, I have a lot more in my basket," said the peddler. Then he turned and fled the premises with all the speed he could muster.

He'd forgotten that the card said he was deaf and dumb.

AAA LEADERS MAKE TALKS

Holmgreen Speaker At Meet Here

HARLINGEN — Valley growers and business men heard an explanation of the government crop control programs from E. N. Holmgreen, head of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration in Texas, at a meeting Friday night in Fair Park auditorium.

Holmgreen spoke on the programs in general and another speaker was Cliff Day, also of the State AAA office.

Holmgreen was guest to Walter W. Housewright and a group of other San Benito business men Friday evening at San Benito before returning to Harlingen for his address.

The AAA chief was due to attend a barbecue at the McCormick ranch near Brownsville Saturday noon and to make a general inspection of the Valley.

GREEK'S NAVY NOW IN ACTION

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ministry said the country's air raid casualties totaled 604 dead, including 74 women, 152 children. It placed the injured at 1,070, including 425 women and 205 children. In all, the ministry said 1,200 homes had been destroyed and countless others were made uninhabitable.

ENTIRE 11TH ARMY THROWN INTO WAR

ROME—(AP)—Premier Mussolini's entire 11th army was reported Saturday to have been sped across the Adriatic and thrown into the front lines of the Albanian battlefront in less than 10 days, leading to the belief that transport planes were used to ferry part of these picked troops.

This army, formed only three weeks ago, has seen its first action in the past three days and is playing a big part in holding the Greeks in some sectors and is on the offensive in others, dispatches from the front reported.

Electric Eyes May Guide Latest Bomb

NELSON, British Columbia—(AP)—A new type of directional aerial bomb originated by a 14-year-old Nelson boy, Allan Ramsden, is being closed studied by the inventions board at Ottawa.

Young Ramsden conceived the idea of a bomb which through a photo-electric cell, might be self-directed by light action when dropped on a target from a bombing plane.

Negro Will Preach Despite Injunction

OMAHA—(AP)—Rev. James Crowder of the Negro St. Luke's Baptist church, said he planned to preach despite an injunction action.

Two trustees of the church asked the district court to bar the minister on the ground that he had been discharged three times. Rev. Crowder said "there isn't a word of truth in it."

Tommy Corcoran In Houston After Rest

HOUSTON—(AP)—Tommy Corcoran, one of President Roosevelt's unofficial advisors, was in Houston after a vacation in Texas and Mexico.

The Toledo, O., birthplace and boyhood home of Walter F. Brown, former postmaster general has been acquired by a church as the site for a new recreation building.

COURT DOCKET HAS 22 SUITS

Grand Jurors To Be Chosen Monday

BROWNSVILLE — Twenty-two civil suits, including seven bankruptcy hearings, will be heard in the Southern district Federal court which will open here Monday.

Many criminal cases will also be heard before Judge McMillan of Houston, who will take the bench for the December term in place of Judge James V. Allred.

Grand and petit juries will be chosen at 10 a.m. Monday.

Bankruptcy Cases

Bankruptcy cases to be heard include:

For December 10—City of Lyford, Cameron County Water Improvement District No. 2, City of Brownsville, Cameron County Water Improvement District No. 15 of Harlingen, Hidalgo County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 and City of Edinburg, all petitions for confirmation of composition of debt readjustment. For December 11—Willacy County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1, petition for submitting plan of composition.

Civil Cases

Civil cases include:

Mrs. Bessie D. Owsley vs. Cameron county water control and improvement district No. 7, suit on past due bonds and interest coupons of respondent district owned and held by plaintiff.

Rio Grande Valley Citrus Exchange vs. F. E. Nichols, inspector of the wage and hour division of the department of labor, application for an injunction enjoining enforcement of the wage and hour bill. This case has been passed pending action on a similar suit in Florida.

Oil Alleged Taken

A. Orive, Jr., et al vs Phillips Petroleum Company and Barnsdall Oil Company, suit to recover damages alleged to have been sustained by plaintiffs for oil taken from land by defendants.

Sterling R. Thornton vs. R. T. Daniels, suit for damages for false arrest and encarceration.

Edinburg Consolidated Independent School District vs. United States of America, suit to clear cloud to title of district to certain lands, caused by filing of tax lien under internal revenue laws.

Carson Seniority

H. E. Carson vs. Missouri Pacific Lines (Gulf Coast Lines), suit to establish his seniority and for wage loss by reason of being wrongfully deprived of employment.

Mrs. Chloie Woody vs. Associated Indemnity Corporation, suit to set aside an award of the industrial accident board and to recover certain sums of money by plaintiff alleged to be due her from defendant as compensation under an insurance policy.

City Of La Feria

S. H. Ransom, Jr., vs. City of La Feria, et al, suit to enforce terms of judgments heretofore entered against defendants in favor of plaintiff. Case set or December 10.

United States of America vs. Edward E. Frazier and Jessie Frazier, suit on a note given to Farm Security Administration.

Real Estate Sale

R. L. Stout and Ida M. Stout vs. Fidelity Investment Company, suit to annul sale of real estate to cancel warranty deed and promissory note and to recover money paid by plaintiffs on said sale.

Louise S. Corbusier and Harold C. Corbusier, vs. Cameron county, suit on past due interest coupons appertaining to bonds of defendant county.

Suit For Damages

Esteban Loya vs. E. B. Wells and A. E. Graut, suit for damages for alleged conversion by defendants of plaintiffs 1931 model Chevrolet coach.

United States of America vs. L. C. Delp, Matie Delp, Roscoe Delp and Dorothy Dewald Delp, suit on note under title 1, National Housing Act.

American Fruit Growers

American Fruit Growers, Inc., vs. Arthur Beckwith, suit to recover balance due on notes of the defendant in favor of plaintiff, principal, interest and attorney's fees.

B. F. Bullis vs. Universal Credit Company and George Mitchell, suit to recover $500 alleged equity in truck alleged to have been converted by defendant company; $240 for conversion of fruit, $1500 injury to reputation and $2500 exemplary damages.

There are about 3,500 foreign students in German universities.

PHOTOGRAPHIC CHRISTMAS CARDS
● BUSINESS
● PERSONAL
A personalized card with a photograph on it will make your greeting stand out above the average.
If you are interested, just drop us a card asking for information or a salesman. Special prices on quantity orders.
HOLBROOK STUDIO
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Handel's 'Messiah' To Be Presented Sunday At 1st Methodist Church

10TH ANNUAL CHOIR OPERA GIVEN HERE

3 Choirs Of Valley Make Up Ensemble

HARLINGEN—The tenth annual presentation of Handel's "Messiah" will be given Sunday night at 7:45 o'clock in the First Methodist Church in Harlingen. The local choir will be assisted by the choir from the Brownsville Methodist Church and by members of the San Benito Choral Club.

The impressive ensemble, strengthened by the visiting artist soloists, indicates that the Christmas oratorio this year will be the outstanding musical performance of the year, say those who have attended rehearsals.

Ormesher Director

David L. Ormesher is director. He had directed each of the presentations of "Messiah" by the choir for ten seasons.

The "Messiah," the most famous oratorio ever written, was first presented in Dublin, Ireland, in 1743, with Handel himself conducting. It depicts a prophecy, life, and death of Christ in impressive choral and solo music.

Contralto Parts

Mrs. J. Roscoe Golden, head of the music department in Southern Methodist University at Dallas, will sing the contralto parts. She has sung this role for several seasons in Dallas, with the Dallas Symphony Orchestra playing the accompaniment.

Paul Riley, head of the music department at College of Arts and Industries, Kingsville, will sing the baritone role.

Tenor Roles

Grady Whittle, band director at Lyford and well-known Valley soloist, will sing the tenor roles; and Mrs. Stanley Crockett, who has sung the soprano arias several times for the First Methodist Choir, will have the soprano lead.

Miss Virginia Perry will be at the Stuart Memorial organ and Mrs. Darrell Jackson and Mrs. Lyle Wheeler will be at the two pianos.

Begins At 7:45 p.m.

The program will begin promptly at 7:45 p.m., preceded by a time-honored procession, the choir using a carol as a processional hymn. The music-loving public is invited to attend.

Arias and choruses from the "Messiah" to be sung includes:

1. Overture
3. Every Valley—Tenor
4. And the Glory—Chorus
5. Thus saith the Lord—Baritone
6. But who may abide—Intro. then to F. Page 32
8. Behold: A virgin—Contralto 4
9. O Thou that tellest—Chorus
11. The people that walked—Baritone
12. For unto us—Chorus
13. Pastoral Symphony—Instrumental
14. There were shepherds—soprano
15. And the Angel—soprano
16. And suddenly—soprano
17. Glory to God—Chorus
18. Rejoice Greatly—soprano
19. Then shall the eyes—Contralto
20. He shall feed his Flock—Contralto
22. Behold the Lamb of God—Chorus
23. He was despised—Contralto to letter E Page 111
31. He was cut off—Tenor
32. But Thou didst not leave—Tenor
47. Behold, I tell you a mystery—Baritone
48. The Trumpet shall sound to Page 219—Baritone
46. Since by man came death—Chorus
45. I know that my Redeemer—Soprano
44. Hallelejuh—Chorus

Model Builders

Valley Meet Is Set For Harlingen

HARLINGEN—Valley-wide meeting of model plane enthusiasts will be held from 2 to 5 p. m. here Sunday, with the meet scheduled to be held at the Harlingen airport.

Garver Murray of Harlingen urged full attendance from over the Valley even if the wind is blowing too hard, for in such event, the modelers will organize a Rio Grande Valley Gas Model Association in place of sending planes aloft.

Baptist Church Club Holds Play Meeting

HARLINGEN—The Companions club of the First Baptist church met this week at the residence of Miss Billy Jean Brewster where a number of games were played. The next meeting will be at home of Miss Joyce Herron. Those present were Miss Lola Fae McCall, Miss Joyce Herron, Miss Betty Jean Whitworth, Miss Marian Carlson, Mrs. W. A. Holt, and the hostess.

New State Highway Map Being Printed

AUSTIN—(AP)—Highway department engineers announced Saturday a new statewide highway map for free distribution after January 1 was in preparation.

Copies of the spring edition map are exhausted and no more will be printed in the interest of economy and because the winter edition with more recent data will soon be available.

EMPLOYES TO MEET

HARLINGEN—Employes of the Edwin Flato Company will hold meeting Monday at the Reese-Wilmond Hotel in Harlingen.

Young Townsend Speaks At Brownsville Meeting

Robert Townsend, son of Dr. Francis E. Townsend, founder of the Townsend Pension Plan, is shown above at El Jardin hotel in Brownsville Saturday after his return from a hunting trip in Mexico. Young Townsend will speak at a meeting of El Jardin Townsend Club members at the El Jardin community house Sunday at 2 p. m. A box lunch will precede the meeting. He came here with L. W. Jeffrey of Chicago, vice-president of the National Townsend organization, and W. W. Stevens of Houston, organizer.

BROWNSVILLE—L. W. Jeffrey of Chicago, vice-president of the National Townsend organization, is shown above at El Jardin hotel here Saturday morning after return from a hunting trip in Mexico with Robert Townsend, son of Dr. Francis E. Townsend, founder of the Townsend Pension Plan. W. W. Stevens of Houston, organizer, who accompanied the couple on their visit, and Mrs. Stevens, are shown in the background.

Camp Bowie Building Now On Boom; 10,000 Carpenters Drawing $337,720 On 36th Division's New Quarters

BROWNWOOD—(AP)—Facilities for the 36th Division, first unit to move to Camp Bowie, is now 85 per cent complete. The payroll this week was $337,720 with around 10,000 men employed.

The Brownwood Chamber of commerce has been asked to secure 700 acres of land adjoining the camp on the south. The land is to be used for facilities of corps troops that will be assigned here. It is understood here that the 5,000 draftees necessary to raise the 36th Division from its present strength of 13,000 to the full strength of 18,000 is to be processed here instead of at reception and replacement centers, and will be quartered on the present camp site and not in the new area.

Negro troops to be stationed here will be quartered on the present reservation. Thirty-four buildings and 381 tent frames have been constructed for Negroes in the northern part of the present cantonment.

At present work has been started on 434 buildings and 3,800 tent frames at the camp. The tent frames are more than enough to house the 36th Division.

At the municipal airport, which is to be the base of the 111th Observation Squadron, no work has been done on the hangar, but mess halls, bath houses, tent frames for officers and men who will be quartered there, are nearing completion.

A detachment of 18 officers and 50 men of the medical corps are now stationed at the camp.

Quartermaster corps troops have unloaded more than 200 carloads of camp supplies, food, and uniforms.

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NEW MINISTER IS INSTALLED

Presbyterian Rites Sunday Morning

HARLINGEN—Rev. G. W. Crofoot will be installed pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at the 11 o'clock hour of worship Sunday. A commission from the Presbytery of Western Texas will be present and officiate at this service. Rev. A. Thomas Dyal, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Mission, will preside and preach the sermon, using as his subject "The Eternal Impact."

Rev. Hugh Robertson, D.D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of San Benito, will propound the constitutional questions and deliver the charge to the congregation. Charles C. Bowie, a deacon in the San Benito Presbyterian Church, will deliver the charge to the pastor. Ruling elders E. W. Halstead from Mission and James Bowie from San Benito will complete the commission.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Challes will play the service, using for the prelude "Morning Prayer" by Mehul, "See the Conquering Hero Comes" by Handel for the offertory, and "This Is The Lord's Own Day" by Krutzer for the postlude. The choir under the leadership of Mr. William C. Black will sing "Rest in the Lord" by Heyser.

All groups will assemble for the evening worship at 6:45 p.m. After a brief praise service the pioneers and senior young people will go to their respective meetings and the adults will remain in the auditorium for the evening sermon which will be preached by the pastor. He will use as his subject "A Message to Today's Business Men."

Orville Carpenter Refused State Pay

AUSTIN, Tex.—(AP)—Comptroller George Sheppard revealed he had declined to issue a September pay warrant to Orville S. Carpenter on request of the attorney general who may ask the U. S. Supreme Court for a review of litigation on the question of whether state office-holders can receive state pay while in active military training.

The state Supreme Court ruled recently that Carpenter, who began military training on the state staff of the Texas National Guard while he was chairman-director of the unemployment compensation commission, was entitled to state pay.

Bodies Found; May Be Of Painter, Wife

MADRID — (AP) — Two bodies which, it is believed, may be those of the great Spanish painter, Diego Rodriguez de Silva y Velazquez, and his wife, were found by excavators in the Plaza de Ramales, Madrid, where the ancient church of San Juan once stood.

Velazquez' remains were buried in the Fuensalida vault of the church in 1660, and eight days later the body of his wife, Juana, was placed beside him. The French destroyed the church in 1811.

Britain May Check Resources In U. S.

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Great Britain soon will send a finance mission here for a thorough canvass of its holdings in the United States, it was learned here.

Informed persons said that the plan apparently grew out of the reaction to statements by Lord Lothian, the British ambassador, on his return from England that his country would need financial assistance very badly next year.

Motor Vessel Said Aground Near Here

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The coast guard reported that the motor vessel "Sturdy," 35-foot 12-tonner, was aground 60 miles south of Corpus Christi. The crew of four, the coast guard said, was safe.

The vessel is owned by the Overton-Menger Company of Corpus Christi, the guard said.

SLICK PAVING DUNKS DRIVER IN ICE-LIKE LAKE

CHICAGO — (AP) — When Miss Hazel Olson shoved on her brakes Thursday for a red light on a busy drive along Lake Michigan, her automobile—

Jumped the curb; slid across a sidewalk; angled over a grassy stretch; slipped through a five foot hedge opening; bounced down a flight of ten steps; skidded across another sidewalk; bumped down three more steps and dropped into the lake, coming to rest on a sunken rock.

Miss Olson was able to open the door of her submerged car and park policemen came to her rescue with a life preserver.

FBI STUDIES SPY HUNTING

English Methods To Be Scrutinized

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Methods evolved by Britain for fighting espionage and sabotage under wartime conditions are being studied by the Federal Bureau of Investigation for guiding in tightening the peacetime defenses against foreign agents in this country.

A two-man mission was sent to England several weeks ago, it was learned Saturday, to investigate the British methods at first hand.

The men, whose names were withheld by officials, will return about the first of the year. They will summarize their findings for use in the National Police Academy, FBI institution in which police officers from all sections of the country are given intensive three months courses in law-enforcement.

Data Is Useful

The information also will be useful, it was said, in the retraining courses which all special agents must take periodically and in revising instructions given to agents in charge of field offices.

Meanwhile, indications increased, in the aftermath of a White House conference, that the campaign against subversive activities would be carried forward hereafter in closer collaboration between the Dies committee and such law-enforcing agencies as the FBI.

Representatives Dies (D-Tex), who frequently has voiced criticism of the FBI's work, spent an hour talking with President Roosevelt Friday. While he flatly declined to disclose the nature of the conference, it was believed by some authorities that an effort was made to eliminate conflict between his committee and federeal agents.

Nazi Vessels Fight Off British Planes

BERLIN — (AP) — British torpedo planes attacked German steamers in the North Sea Friday afternoon, the German News Agency, DNB, reported.

The DNB account said heavy fire from warships accompanying the steamers finally forced the British planes to turn away without scoring any hits.

The planes were said to have fired their torpedoes at "hopeless distance" from their targets.

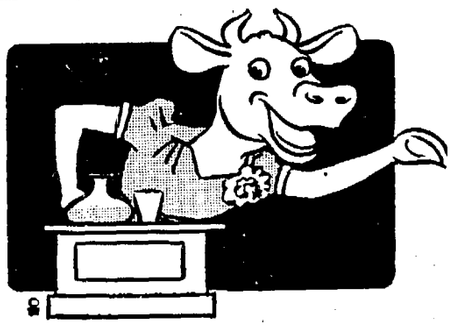
Aged Cattle Raiser Is Dead At Midland

MIDLAND, Tex. — (AP) — Stephen Mosby Francis, 79, widely known cattleman, died at his home here Saturday after a long illness. Funeral services will be conducted at 2:30 p.m. Sunday.

Francis engaged in all phases of ranching. Years ago he was one of the largest cattle shippers in this area.

Syrians Forbidden To Join Foreigners

DAMASCUS, Syria — (AP) — The high commissioner of this French mandated territory decreed Saturday heavy penalties upon cities and any Syrians who volunteer for service with foreign armies.



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60 TOURISTS NOW LISTED

Hostess Takes Data On All Visitors

HARLINGEN — Registration of winter visitors, which had increased to 60 at the tourist headquarters in the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel by Saturday, is a complicated business, Mrs. Walter Murray, hostess in charge of the chamber of commerce-sponsored clubroom, is trying to make it possible through registration, to be of service to every person visiting in Harlingen during the winter months.

The registration, for which there is no charge, lists the tourists according to registration date. On the book they sign, their names, home addresses and Harlingen addresses are listed. In a second book, Mrs. Murray lists them according to home state. And in still a third book, they are listed according to church affiliation or preference, lodge or other organization membership.

Tourists Friday enjoyed a bridge and domino party at the clubroom, first entertainment planned for them for the new tourist season. Some 17 winter visitors enjoyed the games, with Mrs. W. C. Cobb of Brainerd, Mich., winning ladies' high score. Men's high was taken by Mr. J. H. Light of Rockford, Ill., while high cut went to Mr. W. C. Cobb.

Tuesday, at 2 p.m., the winter visitors will leave the clubroom on a pleasure excursion through a number of private gardens and fruit groves in this sector. Following the excursion, they will be taken to the Presbyterian Church, where they will be guests at an open house given by the Presbyterian ladies.

A Christmas party for the tourists to be given by the Harlingen real estate board, was announced by J. J. Willingham Saturday. The party will be given about December 19, Willingham said, and probably will be staged at the Woman's Building.

St. Helena Oil

Roth Canvas To Hang At Sul Ross

HARLINGEN — The five-by-six-foot painting of St. Helena Canyon by Eleanor Roth of Harlingen which will be hung in the museum at Sul Ross College at Alpine, is on display in windows of the Central Power and Light Company.

The painting is an enlargement of the prize-winning picture she made at the summer art colony at Alpine. The enlarged painting will be shipped in about a week after it has dried thoroughly, she said.

"I feel that this painting is the best thing I have done," Mrs. Roth said Saturday.

Works of only two other Texas artists are being hung in the museum at Alpine.

Tom Vines Buys Old Hoch Estate Assets

HARLINGEN—The Hoch estate, consisting of the Home Furniture Company, was sold at administrator's sale here Friday. The furniture and merchandise was purchased by the Parker Auction Company, and the accounts were bought by Tom Vines.

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Girls Will Take It, Dish It Out, In Little Theatre's Dec. 9 Play

EDINBURG—Valley girls prove they can take it—and incidentally give it—in the hilarious hair pulling contest in "The Women," second production of the Valley Little Theatre to be presented at the Edinburg Junior College auditorium December 9.

Free-for-all can best describe the battle of the female sex staged as the comedy highlight of the show. The fight between Miriam Aarons, played by Annette Closner, and Sylvia Fowler, played by Margaret Brown, is more than realistic, Director Paul Moore claims with fervor.

In the Closner-Brown "Battle of the Century" the ladies prove how well they can dish it out. The fight occurs in Reno and begins with the discovery Miss Closner, there for a divorce, is going to marry the man whom Miss Brown is there to divorce. There is a hot exchange of words before the female fisticuff battle begins.

Other members of the cast of this entertaining comedy are: Arlen Kamlah, Connie Green, Shirley Fogelberg, Shirley Burke, Jean Rightor, Cordelia McMahan, Margare. Owens, Mildred Downs, Imogene Brennan, Clara Casbers, Marie Miller, Lucille Smith and Emmett Patton.

Latin Scouts

Two New Troops Are Organized Now

HARLINGEN — Two new Boy Scout troops for Latin-American youngsters have been organized this week, Ralph Cissne, Valley scout field executive, said here Saturday. In addition to one organization in Harlingen, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, another, to be called the Buena Vida troop, has been organized at Brownsville.

The new Brownsville troop is sponsored by the Buena Vida housing authority, Cissne said. Moises Carrasco is the scoutmaster, while J. T. Saturnino, A. Estrada and Ed J. Volkman form the troop committee. Scouts are Albert Walker, J. C. Sullivan, Carlos Garcia, LeRoy Gray, Gamaliel Mora, William Betz, Lionel Lopez and Rodolpho De La Paz.

Another Latin-American troop will be organized Wednesday afternoon in a meeting at La Feria, Cissne said.

CIVIC DINNER PLANS READY

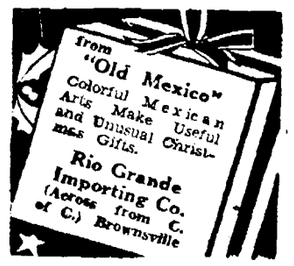
Rowe Will Introduce Francis At McAllen

McALLEN—Homer W. Rowe has been designated by McAllen Chamber of Commerce President Van E. Cook to introduce Charles I. Francis, Houston attorney, when the latter speaks at the annual chamber membership dinner Tuesday at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

Francis' speech will feature the brief program at the informal dinner which gets under way at 7:30 p.m. W. M. Blanton, Houston chamber manager, will also give a brief address.

Five hundred copies of the chamber's annual report have been printed to be presented members at the banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nolen, in charge of ticket sales, said they expected to make their principal sales Monday. They reminded the city's women residents that they were invited to attend.



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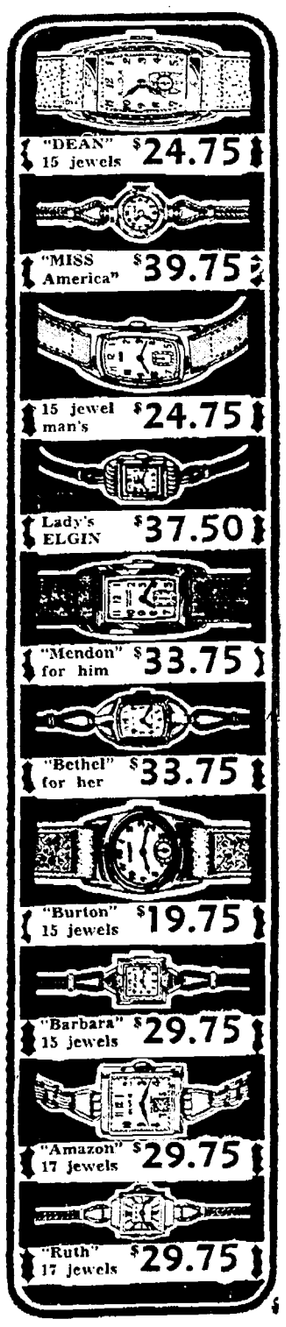

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FIRST VALLEY SPEECH MEET ON SCHEDULE

McAllen To Be Scene Of December Event

McALLEN—The first Rio Grande Valley debate, Speech and Drama institute will be held in McAllen Saturday, Dec. 7, under the supervision of the Interscholastic league of Texas, Don Irwin, McAllen High school instructor and director of the event, said Saturday.

Irwin said the event is designed to assist all teachers and students of speech with the various specific problems relative to the coming Interscholastic League events.

The debate program will be directed by Thomas Rousse, debate coach of the University of Texas, who will discuss debate judging as well as the 1941 debate topic. This program will consist largely of general round table discussion. "Bring your debate problems and talk them over," Irwin urged Valley teachers. O. M. Montgomery of Texas A. & I., Kingsville, former McAllen instructor, will speak on "The Rebuttal Speech."

Bedichek To Attend

Roy Bedichek, director of the Interscholastic League, will lead the declamation and extemporaneous speech division. Several extemporaneous speeches will be given and criticized. Also of interest in this locality will be a discussion of practical aids for the Spanish speaking contestant.

"Critic judging will be the most important feature of the drama division," Irwin said. The Campus Players of Edinburg Junior College will present "What Never Dies" by Percival Wilde under the direction of Mrs. Ruth Owings. This play will be critic-judged by F. L. Winship, director of speech activities of the league.

The program will start at 9 a.m., Dec. 7, with a general meeting in the junior high school auditorium. Supt. John H. Gregory of McAllen will extend a welcome to the visitors, followed by a talk by Bedichek on "The Interscholastic League."

Changes in speech contest rules will be outlined by Winship and William Doyle of McAllen will sing a solo. From 10 until noon a debate round table will be held in the rehearsal room of the junior high building. Montgomery will speak on rebuttal speeches, Thomas Rousse will discuss technical points in judging and will lead a discussion on the 1941 topic.

Auditorium Sessions

Declamation and extemporaneous speech will be discussed in the auditorium, with Bedichek speaking on "Why Speech Contests?" and Miss Margaret Brown of McAllen talking on Spanish speaking contestants. Extemporaneous speeches will be offered by the McAllen High school team, coached by Lloyd Garrison. Bedichek and Winship will offer criticism and discussions.

The one-act play group will meet at the auditorium from 1:15 to 3 p.m. Irwin will give thumbnail reviews on new plays, to be followed by the Campus Players' presentation of "What Never Dies." Winship will judge the play critically, followed by a group discussion. A reception at 3:30 p.m. will close the institute.

Mexico On Air

Inauguration To Be Broadcast

SCHENECTADY, N. Y.—(AP)—General Electric's short wave station KGEI in San Francisco will broadcast in Spanish the inaugural ceremonies of President-Elect Manuel Avila Camacho of Mexico Sunday.

The broadcast, directed to all Latin American countries, will be heard from 10:30 a. m. to noon, (CST).

Short wave station WGEA in Schenectady, operating on the same frequency as KGEI, will cancel its regular European broadcasts during that period to eliminate interference in reception.

Early Gets Apology From Negro Officer Following Incident

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Stephen T. Early, President Roosevelt's press secretary, made public a letter from James M. Sloan, New York Negro policeman, expressing regret for the "incident" in New York October 28, in which Sloan complained he was hurt while trying to prevent Early and reporters from boarding the President's train in Pennsylvania station.

"The misunderstanding was not your fault nor was it ours," Sloan wrote under date of November 22. He accepted an apology Early offered October 31 and said he wanted to "count the whole thing as an accident that happened void of all malice."

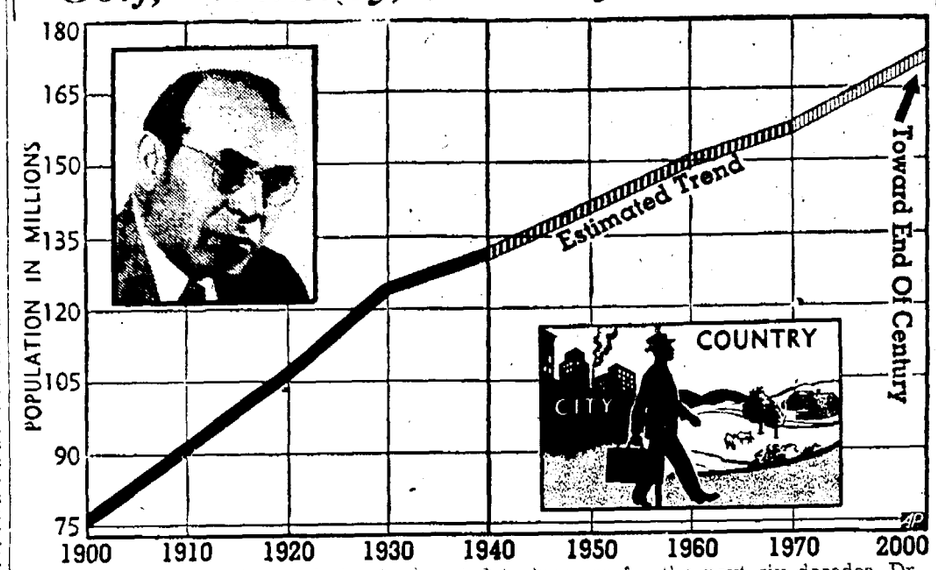
China Mission Work Subject Of Sermon

SAN BENITO—Guest speaker at the Sunday morning service at the First Baptist church will be Mrs. P. E. Mewshaw, formerly of San Benito, who will speak on Baptist missionary work in China in which she and Dr. Mewshaw were engaged for about six years.

Mrs. Mewshaw will address the congregation at the Baptist church in Brownsville Sunday night and will be principal speaker at the San Benito Baptist Woman's Missionary Union Monday and Tuesday. Dr. and Mrs. Mewshaw are now residing in Waco, Texas, where their daughters attend Baylor University.

Census Analyst Reports:

Our Future Citizens Will Go For Golf, Whiskey, Country Homes, Pets



Although the nation's population is expected to increase for the next six decades, Dr. Constantine Panunzio (inset), west coast sociologist, predicts a gradual tapering off and a peak of 175,000,000 by the year 2000.

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By SAM JACKSON
AP Feature Service Writer

LOS ANGELES—The report on the 1940 census may look like a bunch of figures to most people, but to the trained sociologists it will be an index to strictly human affairs in the years that lie ahead.

From the preliminary releases, Dr. Constantine Panunzio of the University of California at Los Angeles believe that he can tell Americans something of the pattern of life they face.

To postpone his weightier pronouncements for a moment, here are some of the random facts that he believes are in herent in the census findings:

There will be fewer play-grounds and more golf courses.

There will be less milk and more whiskey.

Beauty parlors will multiply.

The animal pet population of the cities will increase.

The expanding demand for school teachers will slow up or halt.

Taxes will go up.

More people will move from the cities to a healthier, happier life in the country.

The discontent among the more elderly part of the population is likely to increase.

Four Major Trends

These conclusions are drawn largely from the rapidly increasing age average in the nation, but that is only one of four major trends which Dr. Panunzio sees in the 1940 census. They are:

1 Our rate of population increase is going down rapidly.

2 The lower economic classes are contributing most to our population growth.

3 The growth of the city is slowing up.

4 Persons over 45 are forming an increasingly large percentage of the total population.

175,000,000 Top?

Our population as shown by the 1940 census is 131,409,881. The Los Angeles sociologist expects it to be—

141,000,000 in 1950.

150,000,000 in 1960.

157,000,000 in 1970.

Stationary at about 175,000,000 toward the end of the century.

The fact that low-income families produce the most children does not alarm Dr. Panunzio.

"The impression that this is an unhealthy situation does not rest on scientific fact," he said. "The 'common people' have at all times contributed at least their percentage of leadership of the country."

A Choice Of One

On the old-age question, Dr. Panunzio finds that as recently as 1870 America was almost entirely a young man's country, persons over 45 making up only 15.5 per cent of the population.

The present census shows them to constitute 24.4 per cent. The trend indicates that in a decade or so they will make up nearly a third of the population.

If business concerns won't hire persons over 45, he says, the rest of the population will simply have to chip in and support them.

Judge Of Divorce Court Finds There's Something New Under Sun; Man Will Support Mother-In-Law But Not Wife

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CHICAGO—(AP)—Judge Rudolph Desort thought he had heard everything that could be said in a divorce case—until Walter Appelt spoke up.

Appelt, defendant in divorce proceedings, said that he had a "sincere affection" for his mother-in-law and wanted to support her.

Judge Desort was so startled he asked Appelt to repeat it.

"In all my experience in the divorce court, that's the first tribute to a mother-in-law I've ever heard," said the judge.

'STOLEN' CAR IS ACTUALLY ONLY A BIT MISPLACED

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McALLEN—George L. Martin of McAllen looked very rueful Saturday afternoon after a wide broadcast had been sent out for his supposedly stolen car.

Martin reported to city police at 10:30 a. m. that his car had been taken from its parking place on 15th street near the McAllen hotel. The keys were in the ignition, Martin said, the first time he had ever left the machine unlocked.

Police went to work, sending out notices to the Hidalgo bridge, the border patrol radio station, the sheriff's departments at Edinburg and Rio Grande City, and bridges at Rio Rico, Laredo and Roma.

Two hours later, Martin returned, saying he had found the car where he had parked it on the highway between Main and 15th streets. He had forgotten where it was parked.

Joe Sloan Is Named Mont Meta Manager

SAN BENITO—Joe A. Sloan is new manager of Mont Meta cemetery property on the Rio Hondo road and has moved with his family to the superintendent's house there. He succeeds Fred Booth, who was called into service as lieutenant of Company M, Texas National Guard, mobilized here.

TRAVEL TO MEXICO UP

McAllen Consulate Issues Permits

McALLEN—An increase in tourist traffic into Mexico during the past week was reported Saturday by M. Garcia Rocha, in charge of the Mexican consulate here, during Consul Lauro Izaguirre's trip to Mexico City for the presidential inauguration.

During the past week, Rocha said, 25 tourist cards have been issued from his office. The total is more than 33 per cent better than any previous week in the past three months.

Rocha said averages were also higher at the Mexican immigration office at Reynosa than they had been for some time. Most of the permits were for travel as far as Saltillo and Monterrey with several for Mexico City trips.

Colonel Will Join Free French Forces

BUENOS AIRES—(AP)—Col. Ernesto Petit, head of the French military mission to Paraguay, was in Buenos Aires Saturday on his way to London to join the "Free French" forces of General Charles de Gaulle.

M'MILLAN TO HOLD COURT

Federal Session Is To Begin Monday

BROWNSVILLE—Judge Robert J. McMillan of San Antonio will open federal court of the Southern District of Texas here at 10 a.m. Monday.

Judge McMillan, who presides over the Western District of Texas, will hold court in place of Judge James V. Allred of Houston, federal judge of the Southern District.

Communion Service Set At San Benito

SAN BENITO—Holy Communion service will be held Sunday morning at the First Methodist church. Rev. L. J. Rode's sermon topic will be "Remember." Special organ music will be presented and Mrs. W. F. Pitts, soloist, will sing "The Beatitudes." "O Lord Support Us All Day Long" will be sung by the choir with solo by S. V. Neely.

NEW CHARITY WORK SLATED

'War Production' Of Red Cross Starts

McALLEN—A. M. Tarbutton of Edinburg, chairman of the Hidalgo County chapter of the Red Cross, announced Saturday that inauguration of the unit's "war production" program will be observed Monday.

Co-chairmen of the program are Mrs. Thomas Mahone of McAllen and Mrs. Vernon Hill of Mission.

All materials for the program are furnished by the Red Cross, Tarbutton said. Volunteer workers are asked for making garments, socks, bandages and other supplies.

Material has already been received and Hidalgo County is expected to turn out a large quantity of goods.

Norman H. Davis, national Red Cross chairman in a letter to Tarbutton, said "We have been repeatedly informed by the Women's Volunteer Service in England and the British Red Cross that our chapter produced garments highly acceptable. We have only recently received a request to outfit 200,000 children from the age of six months to five years and work has already started on the project."

Tarbutton said 800,000 women in the United States are working under the program. He said further information on the project may be obtained from Mrs. Mahone or Mrs. Hill, Rev. W. W. Stewart of Pharr or from Miss Edele Speed of Edinburg, executive secretary.

Deny Invasion

Dutch Colony Not Molested

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Reports that a German landing party had been repulsed by British marines while trying to invade the Island of Curacao were termed "entirely without foundation" by the Dutch government.

The denial, issued through the Netherlands legation, was based on a report to the Dutch government in London from the governor of Curacao. The British forces, the legation said, are in Curacao at the invitation of Dutch authorities, are billeted with Dutch troops guarding oil refineries and are under the Netherlands military command.

"The erroneous report," the legation added, "came about when a British sentry fired two shots in the air to halt an intoxicated man who had unwittingly entered the military reservation."

Hungary Seeks Part Of Rumanian Lands

NEW YORK — (AP) — The British radio, in a broadcast heard by CBS, said Hungary was trying to take advantage of present conditions in Rumania to get that part of Transylvania which she didn't get by the recent Axis-dictated Vienna settlement.

The radio quoted an official of the Rumanian delegation in London as its authority. The Hungarian radio, according to the official, has declared the Rumanian situation beyond government control and asked that protective measures be taken in Rumanian Transylvania, presumably by Germany.

Contracts Let For Housing U. S. Troops

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Federal Works agency Saturday awarded contracts totalling $957,000 for construction of national defense housing near military posts in Maryland, Texas, and New Mexico.

David Dubinsky, Daughter Leave Valley For Mexico

DAVID DUBINSKY AND DAUGHTER, JEAN

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Garment Union Head Figured In Bar Brawl During Convention Of AFL

BROWNSVILLE—David Dubinsky, president of the International Ladies Garment Workers Union, left Brownsville Saturday afternoon with his 21-year-old daughter, Jean, for a week's vacation in Mexico City.

Dubinsky broke into the headlines during the recent American Federation of Labor convention at New Orleans when he introduced a resolution to give the A. F. of L. executive council power to remove any union official who had ever been found guilty of corrupt practices or "moral turpitude."

Dubinsky's resolution, after being "modified a bit" carried at the convention vote, he told the Valley Morning Star here Saturday.

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He had introduced the resolution due to the repeated evidence, advanced notably by Columnist Westbrook Pegler and clinched by several recent jail sentences, that the leaders of unions include many an ex-convict and racketeer.

The convention and racketeering issue both came violently to life in the bar of the Roosevelt Hotel in New Orleans after midnight on November 21, Joseph Fay, vice-president of the International Union of Operating Engineers, came up to Dubinsky and cursed his resolution as "dirty" and "lousy."

Fisticuffs Follow

The fisticuffs which followed put the A. F. of L. racketeering in the nation's headlines, but Dubinsky said "I came out all right. You don't see any scars do you?"

Daughter Jean, who is a fledgling columnist on the Socialist "New Leader" was knocked to the floor in the barroom brawl. She writes under the name of Jean Daren and her column is called "Your Money's Worth." She said she did not intend to do any writing while in Mexico City with her father, "but I may come out with something," she added.

To See Inauguration

The pair will be in Mexico City during the inauguration of Mexico's new president, Manuel Avila Camacho.

Dubinsky said he would be back in Brownsville on his way to New York City, where he makes his home, about December 5. He was one of the founders of the C.I.O., but left it with his powerful union and swung over to the A. F. of L. when the C.I.O. settled down to be a permanent rival organization.

RECEIVES HONOR

DONNA — Bruce S. Weaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Weaver of Donna was recently elected to membership in the Pi Epsilon, honorary engineering fraternity. Bruce is an assistant instructor in the University, working also towards his Master's degree.

TRAINING FOR SCOUTERS SET

Cub Leaders School Here Two Days

HARLINGEN — Training course for Cub Scout leaders will be held in Harlingen on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and Thursday evening, Boy Scout Field Executive Ralph Cissne said here Saturday. E. C. Deering will be in charge of the course, with Cissne as adviser.

The course, for parents of boys of cub age, will be given from 3 to 5 p. m. at the junior high school on both Wednesday and Thursday. On Thursday night from 7 to 9 o'clock, the youngsters of cub age will join their mothers and fathers for the final session of the training course, also to be held at the junior high school.

M. H. Connelly, principal of the James Bowie school, is cubmaster for the Cub Pack No. 3, which has lapsed. The course is being given for the purpose of reorganization, and the creation of two active cub packs from the former No. 3 pack.

Jap Troop Train Is Bombed By Chinese

PEIPING—(AP)—Delayed dispatches from Kalgan, on the Mongolian border, said Saturday Chinese mobile troops exploded a mine on the Peiping-Suiyuan railway between Nankow and Kalgan on the night of Nov. 25, and blew up a train carrying Japanese soldiers.

SANTA ROSA GUESTS

SANTA ROSA—Thomas Crenshaw and his brother, Joe, of Mercedes, were visitors here Thursday afternoon. The former is a student at the University of Texas, and both are former residents of this city.

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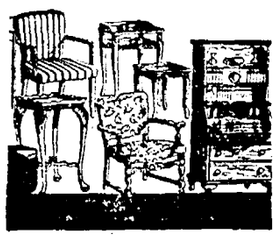

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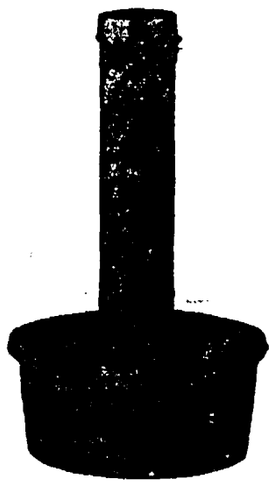

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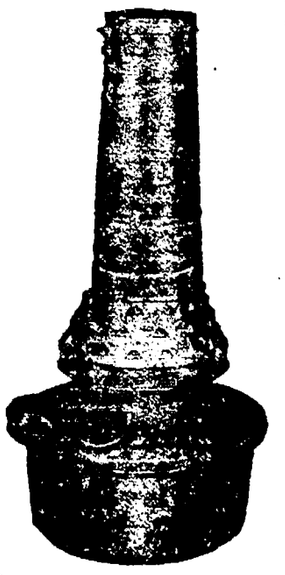

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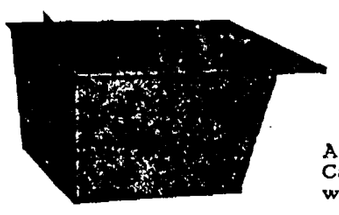

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NO TAX FOR OLMITO ROAD DANCY SAYS

Bond Payment Is To Come From Gas Levy

BROWNSVILLE—The issuance of $365,000 in bonds to finance a new road from Cavazos on the Military highway through Olmito to the port will not cost the taxpayers an extra penny, County Judge Oscar C. Dancy said Saturday.

There has been some confusion in the minds of the public, the judge added, as to how the proposed new road would be paid for.

"People have not believed you could issue bonds and not levy a tax," Judge Dancy said, "and say it looks too much like getting something for nothing.

"On the other hand, it is getting something for which we are already paying—the gas tax. We would pay for it whether or not we build the road. It is just a matter of getting something we are entitled to."

Bond Relief

Judge Dancy emphasized that the voting and the issuance of the bonds would be a step towards getting approximately $300,000 of bonds off on the one cent gas tax.

The state, the judge pointed out, will take over the $365,000 issue, enabling the road to be constructed at absolutely no cost to the county. The state money will come from the gas tax.

In reply to criticism that the money could better be spent on existing county roads, Judge Dancy explained that the state will finance only roads which have been designated as state highways. The proposed road has this designation.

Tax For Others

Improvement of county roads—especially those to farms—is needed, Judge Dancy said, but can be made only b placing an added burden on the taxpayer.

"We are up against a proposition that one always meets in every road bond issue—the problem of location," Judge Dancy said.

"Every little while someone comes in and wants to know why we are building this highway through Jackass Priarie when there are so many roads needed in the rich farming sections.

State Must Designate

"We could build these other roads, but it would take a tax on property, as there is not even a fighting chanc to get bonds off on the one cent tax, save on a state designated highway.

"It is on the theory of a Valley highway alone, shortening the distance and cutting out dangerous angles and turns, that we are able to sell this to the highway department as a state highway.

"The highway department only has an annual fund of $2,180,000 a year for lateral roads, and as this county already has two farm to market highways, it may be years before we get another."

Child Meet

Methodists To Hold District Parley

EDINBURG — Mrs. Murrie Bormann of McAllen, as district director of children's work for the First Methodist church, will preside at the children's division meeting here Wednesday. An interesting program of music and speeches has been prepared.

Mrs. J. C. Lovern will review the book, "Our Little Child Faces Life," as one of the highlights of the morning session.

During the afternoon age group meetings will be held. Mrs. Bormann will preside at the nursery-beginner section; Mrs. C. B. Kirgan at the primary section, and Mrs. C. T. Hardt for the juniors.

The district embraces the Brownsville division, including all Valley cities where the Methodist church is established.

Christian Service Message Announced

SAN BENITO — "Loss Through Absence" will be the sermon topic by Rev. G. C. Schurman at the 10:45 a.m. service at the First Christian Church. Special music will be a violin solo, "A Dream," to be played by Louis Valle. There will be no evening service because of the union services at the First Methodist Church for Company M, Texas National Guard.

French Governor Of Syria Said Killed

VICHY—(AP)—The French government permitted disclosure Saturday of the death of Jean Chiappe, new high commissioner for Syria, in a French air transport which crashed Nov. 27 after reporting in an SOS it was machine-gunned by a British fighter plane.

Chiappe was a former prefect of Paris police.

70,000 French From Lorraine Welcomed

VICHY, French—(AP)—Chief of State Marshal Philippe Petain reported in a message broadcast to his nation Saturday that 70,000 residents of Nazi-occupied Lorraine had arrived in the unoccupied zone of French.

Urging that they be received warmly "by the French brothers," he pointed out that they lost everything they had.

Recent High School Graduate Is Killed

WEST COLUMBIA, Texas—(AP)—Miss Lola Fay M'Neese, recent high school graduate, was killed Friday night when the auto in which she was a passenger struck the rear of a truck during a mist.

Two Michigan Nurses 'Get Tired' Of Routine, Board Bikes For Long Trip

Land In McAllen, To Continue Tour To California

McALLEN—Travel, which often broadens one, is nevertheless proving highly entertaining for a couple of Michigan nurses who tired of their daily routines and set out six weeks ago to bicycle their way around the country as long as their money holds out.

They are Misses Alma Wicks, Anne Arbor blonde, and Maxine Freeland, brunette from Mayville, Michigan.

Ride 1500 Miles

The pair arrived Friday in McAllen to reach the 1,500th mile of their trip, which started October 15. Of the distance they have covered, 900 miles have been pedaled while the remainder has been negotiated by the well-known thumb route. In fact, they hitched a 600-mile ride with a trucker who stowed their bikes in his car and brought them all the way to the Valley.

From McAllen, they plan to head north for Fort Worth Tuesday or Wednesday and from the "Cowtown" they will strike out for El Paso, Phoenix and California.

"Amazing Hospitality"

"The hospitality is what amazes us about people down here," Miss Wicks commented. "Why, we stopped at an orchard yesterday and the people went out to the trees and pulled off fruit and gave it to us. We thought the folks back in Michigan were hospitable—but not that much!"

Both Miss Wicks and Miss Freeland agree that travel is broadening. Miss Wicks has gained 12 pounds in the six weeks on the road. Miss Freeland, nine. Both are in excellent health, they say.

Just "Got Tired"

They "just got tired" of nursing and planned the trip. Miss Freeland previously had toured much of Europe and had spent six months in Australia. She has a gypsy urge, she confesses.

McALLEN—Misses Maxine Freeland, left, of Mayville, Michigan, and Miss Alma Wicks, Ann Arbor, who "just got tired" of being nurses in hospitals and started a long bicycle tour that will ultimately carry them to California, are shown as they arrived at the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building to get their Valley bearings. They will remain over to the week-end for a Mexican dinner south of the border, and will head back to Fort Worth next week.

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While here they attached McAllen Chamber of Commerce stickers to their bikes to prove how far they'd travelled south. After they reach California they don't know where they'll go. They are members of the American Youth Hostel, an organization of young travellers. The hostel is active in the east but hasn't yet been developed in the south.

On the 900 miles they have biked, neither has yet had a flat tire or a bit of machine trouble. Their longest jaunt was a four-hour ride of 60 miles from Brownsville, Tenn., to Memphis a couple of weeks ago.

"We just ride when we feel like it, and rest when we take a notion," said Miss Freeland.

They're spending the week-end in the Valley—sleeping in special sleeping bags they carry with them—and plan to leave after eating a Mexican meal Monday at Reynosa.

Roger W. Babson Says

Armament Building Will Go On For Another Generation Believes Babson; Sees No Fear Of Let-Down From War

By ROGER W. BABSON

NEW YORK CITY—People talk as if the Armament Program were only a flash-in-the-pan. They ask, "What will happen when the war stops?" I believe that armament activities will go on for at least another generation after the war ends. A new industry is being born. Hitler has laid the foundation for the greatest industrial boom the United States and Canada have ever witnessed. We may expect to see employment reach its highest peak in decades. Not only will unemployed men who now want to work find jobs, but the "slack" in unemployment (normally amounting to a "float" of some 4,000,000) will be taken up.

1940 Vs. 1917

No new industry was born between 1914 and 1919. A few airplanes were built, but they were of little consequence. The fact that France went into World War II with much the same equipment that she used in World War I proves my point. During World War I larger cannon and better machine guns were used and more ammunition consumed than in any previous war; —but no basic changes in big guns, rifles, or munitions took place. Certainly, nothing occurred to make obsolete, cities, factories, and even homes.

There is a vast difference between the world of 1940 as compared with the world of 1917. Hitler is brutal and is changing the map of Europe by a surgical process, but he is making a great contribution to the world in becoming the father of a new industrial revolution. Business has been looking for this during the past ten years. The armament industry for which Hitler is responsible holds a greater promise for future growth than does any present enterprise. Cities in the interior will benefit greatly from this new industry, especially smaller communities of from 10,000 to 20,000 population.

A Repeat Business

Almost every implement, device, or machine which enters into the defense industry picture involves repeat orders. I think of this not so much from destruction through which ammunition is consumed, guns and tanks blown up, or planes and ships destroyed, but rather from a quick obsolescence standpoint. Consider the changes that have taken place in fighting planes of all types, not from the end of World War I to the beginning of World War II, but just since the current affair started.

Wing-tip and fusalage machine gun installations are only one improvement out of many. Read the newspapers and technical journals to visualize the improvements that are taking place in mechanical, electrical, and chemical devices which are fast rendering obsolete existing implements of war whether these be planes, guns, tanks, rifles, or munitions. This does not take into account new inventions which for the most part remain secret.

New Forces Of Activity

Unless one is close to manufacturing and its relationship with the defense program, it is difficult to appreciate the importance of constant improvements and replacements. The production of defense products automatically sets up an entirely new group of repeat business and the growth of the defense industry is bound to continue after World War II is over. Entirely new products will arise as its technological processes develop.

Let me recall the first test of what ultimately brought about our modern battleship. After the Monitor sunk the Merrimac on March 9, 1862, did the building of iron ships stop with the ending of the Civil War? No,—the little Monitor started a great new industry, the building of iron and later of steel ships for use in both war and peace. The construction of ships is still going on. Out of this industrial pregnacy of Hitler's new and more far-reaching industry, new forms of ship construction, city planning, and buildings of all kinds will develop.

Remaking Factories, Homes, Schools, and Cities

Yes, as the bombing plane has changed warfare it is drastically changing the layout of cities and the architecture of factories, shops, and homes. New manufacturing plants are already being built without windows to avoid being located at night. They are also being divided into separate buildings so if one building is destroyed the other units can continue work. As cities have gradually been rebuilt to be more fireproof, so they now will be rebuilt to be bombproof. This will take many years. The defense industry does not mean solely the manufacturing of implements of war, but should ultimately result in changes in roads, water pipes, gas mains, and power stations.

The construction of homes must radically be changed to provide the greatest protection. Civilian population, which in today's warfare suffers so much, must be cared for through individual and mass shelters. School houses must be redesigned as well as theatres and other buildings. Additional subways must be built to take not only street cars, busses, and railroads underground, but to provide shelters for the public. There is no end to the amount of new construction work that Hitler has forced us into.

Conclusion

So many manufacturers were "burnt" in the last war and were left with unusable material and idle plants that they now are shy of war orders. Let me tell you, however, they are making a big mistake. This new business is of an entirely different nature. Manufacturers missed the boat once by going in too deep. If they are not careful they will miss it this time by going in too late!

Tourist Party

Excursion Is Planned For Tuesday

HARLINGEN—The first bridge and domino party of the new season was held at the tourist center at the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel Friday with 17 guests present.

Mrs. W. C. Bobb of Brainerd, Mich. held high score among the women guests and J. H. Light of Rockford, Ill. was high among the men. W. C. Cobb won high cut prize.

A pleasure excursion is scheduled to start from the tourist center at 2 p.m. Tuesday taking in private gardens, citrus groves and other points of interest. The tour will end at the First Presbyterian church where the tourists will be entertained by women of the church at an informal open house.

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FBI HAS FILE ON SABOTEURS

Destruction Schools Maintained, Said

NEW YORK—(AP)—Inspector Louis B. Nichols of the Federal Bureau of Investigation says the bureau has discovered an organized corps of sabotage agents in this country, knows their identity and has its eye on schools where they are trained in the technique of destruction.

In an address to the National Interfraternity Conference Friday, the administrative assistant to FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover said the saboteurs had been scrutinized by the FBI but they "haven't tried to start anything yet."

The FBI, he said, had found that the recent explosions and fires in defense industries had "not been acts of organized saboteurs."

FBI agents, he went on, had been sent to the so-called sabotage "schools" to obtain first-hand information on the technique taught.

Nichols charged that "subversive forces" had tried to maneuver the FBI into a position where it would have to make public its information and added:

"Nothing would please the totalitarian powers more than knowing exactly the information we possess concerning their activities. I can assure you that when the time comes that information will be used. But now it is far better to know who the foreign agents are, to gain control of their sources of information, to ascertain their methods of communication, than it is to expose them and have others take their places."

San Benito Defense Guard Fixes Drill

SAN BENITO—Local organization of the Texas Defense unit will meet for a first drill session at 8 p. m. Tuesday over the Roberts garage on South Sam Houston. Eighty men have enlisted in the guard of which Harry J. Harris is captain.

Methodists' Dinner Planned For Monday

SAN BENITO—First Methodist Church officials and their wives will meet for dinner at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the church dining room. Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Council of Brownsville, will be special guests. A business session will follow the dinner.

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The death rate from tuberculosis in the United States per 100,000 persons had decreased since 1910 from 250 to 50.

From 15 to 20 varities of apples grown in New York state are quoted on the New York City market.

GUARD'S CAMP IS CONTINUED

San Benito Unit May Go To Camp Bowie

SAN BENITO—Company M, Texas National Guard, mobilized at the armory here on the Brownsville highway, will continue in camp for several weeks, officials were advised Saturday. The unit was expected to be ordered to Camp Bowie at Brownwood, Texas, early in December.

Nine of the 123 enlisted men failed to pass physical examinations given this week by a medical board composed of Captain H. P. Hawk of Gainesville, Texas; Captain L. C. Bevil of Beaumont, and First Lieut. T. L. Pecora of Beaumont. Officers alos underwent tests but results have not yet been received.

All members of the unit will attend union services at the First Methodist church at 8 p. m. Sunday. Rev. G. C. Schurman of the First Christian church will deliver the principal sermon and his topic will be "Life Made Perfect."

Rev. Hugh Robertson of the Presbyterian church will offer the prayer and Scripture reading will be by Rev. C. S. McKinney of the First Baptist church. Rev. J. A. Russell will give the benediction.

Special music at the service will be presented by the high school mixed chorus directed by W. Edward Hatchett. The group will sing "God Bless America" and "A Prayer of Thanksgiving" accompanied at the piano by Marilyn Daughtrey.

Rob School Kitchen Of Cooking Utensils

RALEIGH, N. C.—(AP)—Maybe police had better check over the gourmets to find the thief who broke into the Boylan Heights school cafeteria.

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RACE LEADERS ARE NAMED IN CHARRO DAYS

Regatta to Draw Top Boat Pilots

BROWNSVILLE — Officials for the 1941 Charro Days speedboat regatta have been named, according to R. W. Pitts of Brownsville, chairman of the race committee.

The regatta has been one of the big features of the fiesta each year, and is scheduled for February 28 in the next Charro Days. Top notch racers from many parts of the nation usually take part. Gar Wood Jr. has been one of the principal contestants in the past.

The Officials

The officials named are: James Mulroy or Charles Steele, of Chicago, representative of the National Outboard association; R. W. Pitts, general chairman; A. G. Hendricks of Corpus Christi, chief starter; Kenneth Clark of Brownsville, inspector-measurer; Ed Hinkly of Port Isabel, chief scorer; Bill Neely of Brownsville, assistant starter.

Fred Petch of Donna, chief timer; Major John N. Merrill of Brownsville, referee; K. M. Bailey of Brownsville, summary man; Col. H. M. Shoemaker of Harlingen, clock man; W. O. Gundry of Weslaco, chronometer man; George Leonard of Brownsville, pit manager; Everett Easterly of Brownsville, gunner.

Others

Assistant timers will be Phil Amsler, Bob Ginn, H. N. Ferguson; assistant scorers, Fred Hanchett, Frank Libbee, and Eddie Valent; pit assistants, Bud Bingley, Milton Connell, R. R. Rentfro, R. D. Sauber, Eddie Andreas, Glenn Chapin, John Renfro, Lewis Lee, Bo Scott, La Salle Rorke, Bill, Earle, and Grant Pitch, and A. M. Olsen; pick-up boats, Tom Barber and Dr. Charles Calderoni.

In addition to the regatta, time trials are to be held, under sponsorship of the National Outboard association.

GIFT EXPERT TO AID FOLKS

Miss Ward to Be At Edelstein's

MISS LILLIE WARD

BROWNSVILLE —In Brownsville this week to help local folks with the gift problems, Miss Lillie Ward, who comes to the Valley from the Club Aluminum Products Co., Test Kitchen, Chicago, will be at Edelstein's Better Furniture store through Thursday, where she will be available for consultation.

While at Edelstein's Better Furniture store, Miss Ward will conduct continuous demonstrations daily, featuring the modern cooking methods for which Club Aluminum Hammercraft Waterless Cookware has long been famous—including waterless cooking of fresh vegetables and fruits, top-stove roasting, and top-stove baking. Free Christmas recipts will be given to all who visit Miss Ward's demonstration.

During Miss Ward's visit, Edelstein's Better Furniture store is featuring a 7-piece set of Club Aluminum—a gift for any homemaker—at a special price, on very convenient terms.

'POWER' TOPIC FOR MEETING

BROWNSVILLE — The fifth annual conference of the young people of the West Texas Episcopal diocese will open here Friday, Dec. 6, with an attendance of approximately 100 expected.

Bishop W. T. Capers of San Antonio will attend, and principal speaker at the conference will be Rev. James Clements of Texas City.

Theme of the conference will be "Power." The conference will open at the Church of the Advent (Episcopal) here Friday, and meetings will be held all day Saturday. A banquet will be held Saturday night in the parish house and the conference will close at regular services of the church Sunday, at 11 a.m.

Bill Dunham of San Antonio is president of the conference.

Marriage Announced

BROWNSVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. John W. Butcher announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Doris Butcher, to Clyde Alexander of Fort Brown. The ceremony will be performed at the bride's home, 209 West First, at 8:30 p. m. Saturday, Dec. 7.

"STRONG MAN" DA VINCI

Besides all his other accomplishments, Leonardo da Vinci, the famous painter, was a "strong man," capable of bending iron bars with his bare hands.

Ladies Of Christian Church Plan Events

BROWNSVILLE—The Ladies Council of the Central Christian church plans two events for the coming week when the various circles observe an industrial day and sponsor a Mexican plate dinner as a benefit for the Bundles for Britain Thursday.

Meeting for the industrial day Monday, the circles will gather as follows: one, at the church for a Mexican dinner; two, with Mrs. F. I. Bretz; three, with Mrs. J. M. George, and four with Mrs Herman Loop.

Mrs. George Bowman is chairman in charge of the benefit supper to be served in the basement of the church between the hours of 5 and 8 o'clock.

SEES PEACE FEELER

LONDON—(AP)—Lord Queenborough predicted Saturday in a message to the Society of St. George, on which he is president, that as a result of the Axis setback in the Mediterranean and pressure of the British blockade "Germany may well shortly put out a (peace) 'feeler.'"

War Relief Job Starts Monday For Red Cross

BROWNSVILLE — Brownsville women will begin intensive knitting, sewing and crocheting for war sufferers with the re-opening of the Red Cross workroom Monday morning in a downstairs room in the Maltby building, opposite the White Kitchen.

Mrs. Ralph H. Elsaman, volunteer work chairman, announced the opening Saturday and issued a call for those who could sew, knit or crochet. All articles made will be sent to Britain, she said.

The workroom will be open between 9 and 11 weekdays.

Sweater yarns and wools have been received, Mrs. Elsaman said, and materials for layettes are expected soon. Volunteer workers may secure materials for work at the workroom for use there or to take home. Those experienced in knitting and crocheting will be on hand to aid the beginners.

Volunteer workers filled four boxes of sweaters, dresses, layettes and shawls earlier in the season to send to national headquarters for distribution, but the work was forced to a halt because of lack of material.

MINERALS IN OCEAN OOZE

The ocean floor's submarine ooze has been found to contain amounts of manganese, iron, tin, copper, gold, and other minerals known to exist in sea water.

Showers For Pharr Institute Set Monday

BROWNSVILLE — The pantry shelf of Pharr Institute will benefit when circles of the Women's Society for Christian Service of the First Methodist church meet. Each circle will hold a shower for the institute at its meeting.

Circles will meet as follows at 3 p. m.: one, with Mrs. M. D. Council; two, at the church; three, at the church; Young Matrons, Mrs. James E. Haywood; Lucy Rae, Mrs. C. H. Harden.

Mrs. M. J. Tipton To Lead Program

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Maurice J. Tipton will be leader of the topic at the meeting of the Wednesday study club this week with Mrs. Gerald E. Lauver.

Mrs. Tipton's topic will be "The Trend of The Youth Movement."

Symbolism of Church Topic For Auxiliary

BROWNSVILLE— "The Symbolism of Our Church" will be the topic of an address by the Rev. John Phillips, new rector of St. Alpans church in Harlingen, when members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of the Advent (Episcopal) meet at the parish house Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The business and program session will be concluded with a social hour.

Pan American Round Table Meets Friday

BROWNSVILLE—Regular monthly meeting of the Pan American Round Table will be held at 1 o'clock Friday at El Jardin hotel.

Mrs. J. Grider Perkins will be program leader, and will have as her topic Brazil.

Army Life Bette

By MILTON BRONNER
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON—John Q. Citizen will ultimately get his whack at K. P. duty. In other words, kitchen police. All his life he has heard about K. P. from men who have been in the army.

In song and story he has heard about spending miserable hours under the tyranny of the mess sergeant and saying, "Yes, sir" to the cooks, lest they heave a cleaver at the offender. Also he has heard that, aside from the fact that each private will at some time during the weeks have to do K. P. duty, this service is also handed out as a minor punishment for slight offenses.

But when he actually goes on K. P. in the new American army, the draftee is likely to find it is not as black as it had been painted. The one thing most soldiers hated was peeling "spuds" all day long. In a good many camps the government has now installed potato-peeling machines.

There is also machinery for washing pots and pans. However, there is no guarantee that a draftee will find a mess so equipped. He may still have to wield the old knife on the "spuds" and scrub pots and pans by hand.

His one consolation will be that K. P. duty does not last long and that, after it is over, a long interval is apt to follow before he is "elected" again.

The rookie will learn how to care for his own mess kit when he's in the field. It must be kept scrupulously clean. Once a day—or oftener—it will be inspected for unclean-

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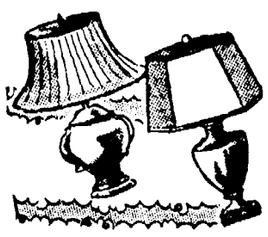

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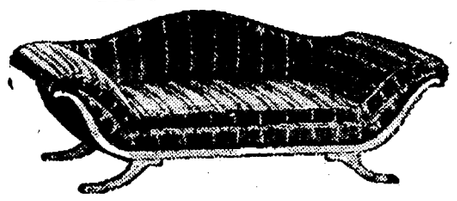

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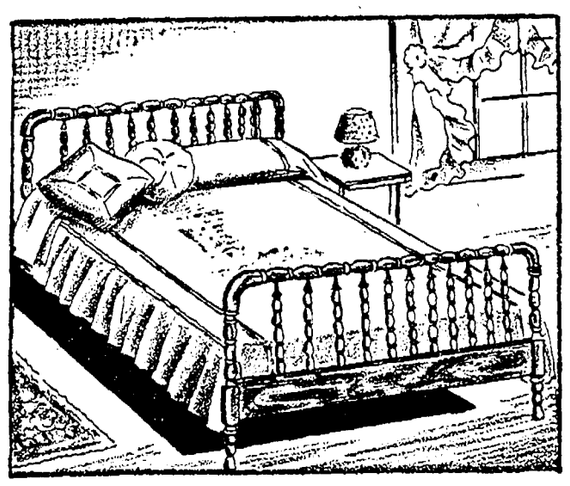

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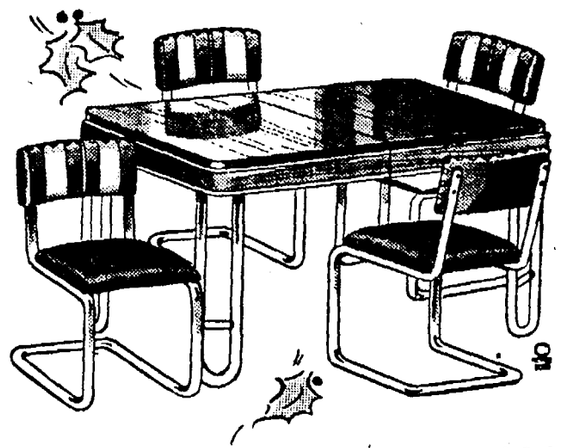

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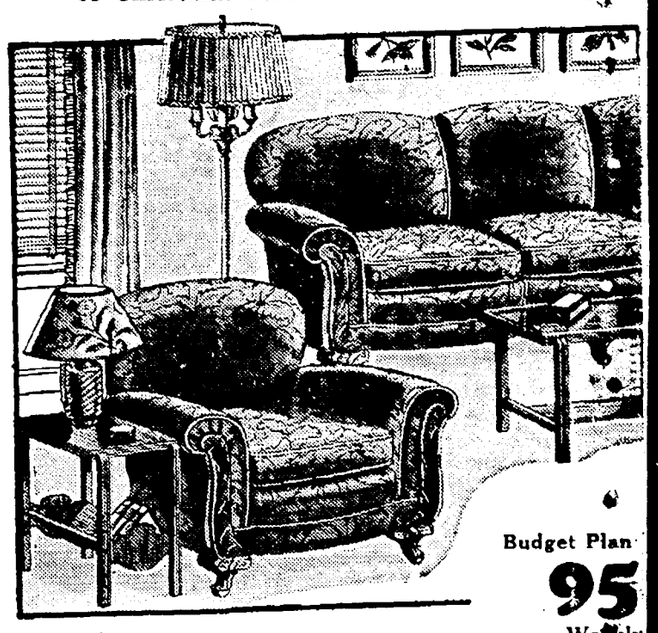

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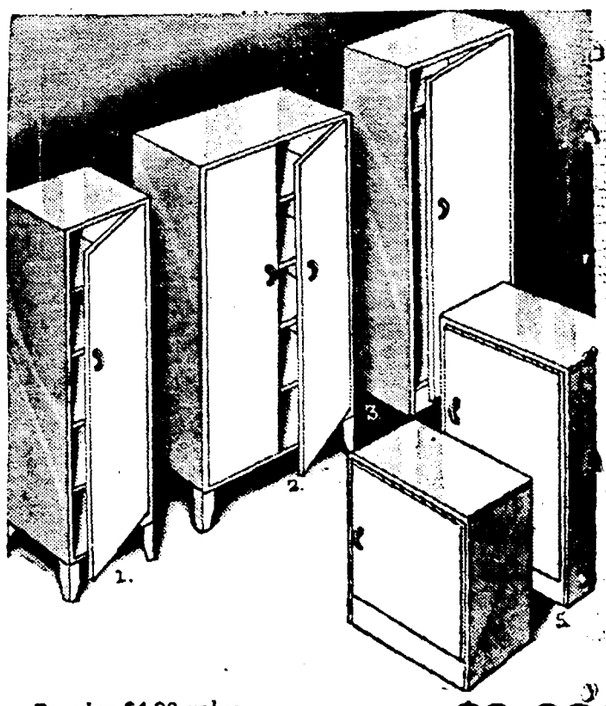

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liness which might lead to dysentery. Each man, of course, must wash his own kit. Three large cans will be provided—one of soapy water, the other two containing hot water for rinsing.

Army cooks are taken from the ranks, each organization supplying its own. In the new army, there may be some novices, but every effort is being made to uphold the tradition that the U. S. Army has better food than any other army in the world.

The draftee will also learn that his new life is not that of half soldier, half prisoner. He will usually be free on Saturday afternoons and Sundays. If he is religiously inclined, he will have opportunity to go to church or chapel.

Leave from camp will be fairly liberal. John Q. will be able to go to the nearest town at night, provided he gets back in time for taps. In many cases officers may not require a pass.

The draftee will be encouraged to take part in outdoor games. He will be able to keep up his courses in correspondence schools. In fact, he will be quite surprised to find how much time he can call entirely his own.

MISS BRULAY HOME

BROWNSVILLE—Miss Inez Brulay returned to Brownsville Saturday from Austin where she spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her cousin, Miss Lucille Marshall of Waco, a University of Texas student.

Argentina has 24,532 miles of railroads.

Christmas Program Features Session

BROWNSVILLE — A Christmas program and an exchange of gifts among the members will feature the Saturday afternoon meeting of the Fort Brown chapter, Daughters of the Texas Republic.

Mrs. L. K. Morris will be hostess at 3 p. m. at her home.

HOLIDAY GUESTS

BROWNSVILLE — Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Hamilton were Mrs. Hamilton's mother and sister, Mrs. M. Mellum and Mrs. Roy R. Roberts, both of Harlingen.

SEE BIG GAME

RANGERVILLE—Darrow Parmer, Curtis Shiflet, John Wesley Parmer, Enrico Buffo and Carl Kaigler attended the Texas Aggies vs University of Texas game. They returned here early Friday morning.

Mexico's Wireless Being Modernized

MEXICO CITY —(AP)—Extensive modernization and improvement of the government wireless system is now under way, the federal department of mails and telegraphs announced Saturday.

Construction of 10 new radio transmitting stations and four emergency power plants in various parts of the republic will be included in the program, the government said.

Brazilians Attend Mexico's Inaugural

MEXICO CITY — (AP) — Special Brazilian envoys General Amaro Soares Bettencourt and Lieut. Col. Stenio C. Lima arrived here Saturday by plane to take part in Sunday's inauguration of President-Elect General Manuel Avila Camacho.

Federal Trucks Must Bow To State Road Law, Rule

AUSTIN, Tex. —(AP)— Attorney General Gerald C. Mann is of the opinion state police can arrest drivers of federal government trucks if the trucks are overweight and violating Texas laws.

He so informed Police Director Homer Garrison, Jr., Monday after Garrison submitted regulations of the U. S. Department of Agriculture to the effect the department may perform the functions delegated to it by Congress in the state of Texas without conforming strictly to the highway laws and regulations of the state."

"There would seem no logical reason why the soil conservation service cannot operate trucks which comply with state regulations," Mann stated. "The use to which they are put does not appear to be such as to demand a radically different type of vehicle from those authorized to operate under state law. Nor does it appear necessary in carrying out the powers and functions of the soil conservation service that loads in excess of 7,000 pounds must be hauled.

Asked whether his patrolmen would be instructed to arrest drivers of overweight federal trucks, Garrison said:

"Well, we always have."

Rainbows may sometimes be seen all day long in Siberia, due to the reflection of the sun on fine particles of snow in the air.

Dr. Wm. R. Ross Weds Miss Mary Galloway

BROWNSVILLE — Announcements are being received here telling of the marriage of Miss Mary Margaret Galloway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Galloway, all of Dallas, to Dr. William Rutledge Ross, of Dallas, son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Ross of Brownsville.

The marriage was solemnized Wednesday morning, November 20 in Holy Trinity church in Dallas. Dr. and Mrs. Ross are at home at 3229 San Jacinto in Dallas.

Dr. Ross, who received his earlier education in Brownsville, received his degree in medicine in June from Baylor Medical school. He is serving as interne at St. Paul's hospital in Dallas.

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The bureau of mines reported Saturday stocks of domestic and foreign crude petroleum at the close of the week ended Nov. 23 totaled 261,723,000 barrels, a net increase of 104,000 barrels compared with the previous week. Stocks of domestic oil decreased 15,000 barrels for the week and foreign crude increased 119,000 barrels.

JARDIN GIVES ALL STUDENTS PLENTY FOOD

School Neatly Solves Old Problem

BROWNSVILLE — More than 5,000 cans of condensed milk, several tons of flour, meal, meat, fresh fruit and dried fruit and an abundance of green vegetables and the application of Rio Grande Valley ingenuity provide assurance that there will be no hungry school children in El Jardin community this year.

And to a group of community leaders goes the credit for solving—so far as their local school is concerned—the intricate problem of overproduction and underconsumption. In a word, they have neatly balanced surplus against hunger; the result is the absence of empty "tummies," a healthier crop of youngsters and increased efficiency.

Tough Problem

When the school term opened last fall, El Jardin, like most other communities, faced the perplexing question of how to care for the many underprivileged children who were not getting enough to eat. Dozens of pupils brought meager lunches of only one tortilla and a few frijoles, while some did without lunch entirely.

With the aid of government employees, members of the Parent-Teacher association of which Mrs. John Whitlow is president, applied for and received provisions from the Surplus Commodities corporation. A supervisor, Mrs. W. S. Callaway, was chosen to direct cooking and serving the food, and cash donations were sought from people of the community. Five student employees of the National Youth Administration assisted with the serving, and patrons of the school volunteered their services.

Pay If Able

Those who were able to pay were expected to donate to the lunch fund, while those unable to pay were allowed to eat free. Surprising to some, the program sustained itself financially.

But as far as food was concerned, the problem was only partially solved, since the provisions received did not include perishables necessary to a balanced diet. The supervisor hit upon the idea of getting donations of fresh vegetables and other perishables from those unable to pay cash, and now a steaming hot, balanced diet is served at a minimum expense to all pupils and teachers who care to eat in the lunch room, which is the home economics kitchen of the high school.

Some Brownsville merchants donated food also.

Five WPA workers and one NYA worker now prepare and serve the food and operate the program under direction of the supervisor. All the WPA workers wear uniforms, and all who work in the kitchen have had health examinations.

The teacher of each home room collects money from students and gives it to the supervisor weekly.

Many Gain Weight

When the pupils first started eating in the lunch room, it was evident that some apparently had never eaten before with knife, fork or spoon.

Some were so extremely hungry that they bolted their food and drink and actually had stomach disturbances. Teachers found it necessary to stress slower and more mannerly eating and are determined that much more progress is needed in these.

It is natural for children to gain weight, but those in charge believe the lunches have helped the pupils materially in gaining weight. Eighty-six per cent of all pupils and teachers eating in the lunch room the past two months have gained from one to 13 pounds, a recent check revealed.

Teachers say the benefits of the program are not only reflected in higher average daily attendance, better school grades and discipline, but in a better morale among parents.

"After all," teachers asserted, "the strongest deterrent to good citizenship is an empty stomach."

VOTE PLACES ARE SET OUT

Road District Ballot Up Dec. 7

BROWNSVILLE — There will be seven polling places in the $365,000 road bond issue election Dec. 7.

Only voters living in Precincts 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 of Cameron county will be eligible to vote.

These precincts are within the boundaries of Road District No. 1, created recently by the commissioners' court.

Here is the polling place list:

Residents of Precinct 4 will vote at their regular box at Olmito.

Residents of Precincts 5, 6, and 7, will vote at the Fourth Ward school.

Residents of Precincts 8, 9 and 10 will vote at St. Joseph's academy.

Residents of Precincts 11, 12 and 13 will vote at the Junior high school.

Residents of Precinct 14 will vote at their regular box at the El Jardin school.

Residents of Precinct 15 will vote at the Blalock school.

Residents of precinct 16 will vote at the home of Mrs. Emelia T. Canul at Villanueva.

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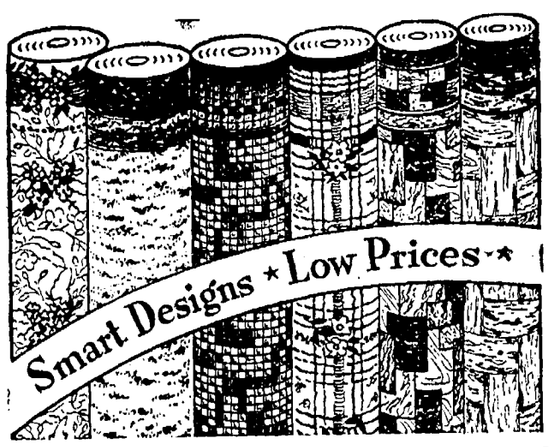

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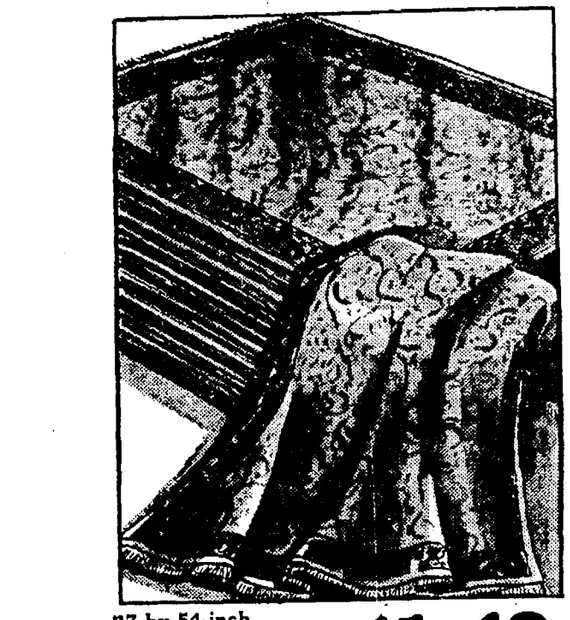

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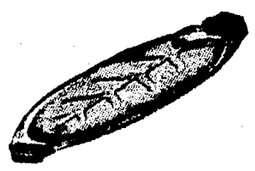

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TOURISTS TO SEE DONNA'S 'DIA GRANDE'

McAllen's Activities Are Listed

McALLEN—A massed tourist trip to the Donna Dia Grande Days celebration Friday will top the nine dates scheduled for McAllen visitors this week.

This week-long entertainment will open Monday at 4 p. m. with a tour to Reynosa, a wild game dinner and return to McAllen in time for the open band rehearsal at the junior high school auditorium at 7:30 p. m. that night.

At 10 a. m. Tuesday the Spanish club will meet at Legion hall and at 11 a. m. the sewing club will gather in the same building where a game party will be held at 2 p. m. All tourists and visitors are invited to attend. Tourist officials promise every game on the books will be played so no one will be overlooked.

A tour to Sullivan City, the gateway to the Valley's great oil field, and the Goodwin Orchards will leave here at 1:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Friday at 10 a. m. the Spanish club will again gather at Legion hall.

All tourists in the city are asked to join the conducted motorcade leaving here at 3 p. m. Friday to attend the Dia Grande celebration and see the Bougainvillea March of Time pageant. En route to Donna stops will be made at the fernery and one of the water pumping stations.

Citrus Returns

Donna's First Pool Checks Received

DONNA — Grower members of the Donna Citrus Association have, during the past few days, received checks in settlement of the first pool returns on various varieties of citrus fruit marketed since the opening of the season.

Officials of the Association announced the following averages which are being paid to their growers after all expenses are deducted: Marsh Seedless, $23.49 per ton, Pink Marsh, $47.44 per ton, Foster Pinks, $29.21 per ton, Pineapple Oranges, $25.25 a ton, Hamlin Oranges, $29.68 a ton, and Naval Oranges, $23.33 a ton.

In addition to these returns, the members of the Association will also receive rebates on packing costs at the close of the season. It is the practice of the association to deduct an estimated charge when making early pool settlements and to rebate the difference between these estimated charges and the actual cost figures at the close of the season.

Leader Says Russia Ringed By Enemies

MOSCOW—(AP)—Michael Kalinin, head of the All-Russian Central Executive Committee and to all effects president of the Soviet Union, has described Russia as a "besieged fortress" covering one-sixth of the world while "the other five-sixths of the world are our irreconcilable enemies on principle."

He made the declaration in a speech before the Lenin Military and Political Academy Sept. 17 which was made public Saturday in the organ of the Red Army, Red Star.

Siamese Admit They Bombed Indo-China

SINGAPORE—(AP)—Official Thai (Siamese) quarters here confirmed that the Thai airforce had bombed Thakhek and Savannakhet, French Indo-China border towns, in "reprisal" for an alleged French bombing of Thailand.

A communique from Bankgok, Thailand's capital, charged that Thailand territory was bombed Friday.

Peace Treaty Fails To Change US Policy

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Secretary Hull said Saturday that the United States "of course continues to recognize" the Chungking government of General Chiang-Kai-Shek.

He made this assertion when reporters asked him for comment on the peace treaty between Japan and the Japanese-sponsored Chinese government at Nanking.

French Communists Are Being Arrested

VICHY, France—(AP)—The arrest of Louis Thorez, brother of the leader of the French Communist party, was reported Saturday in a dispatch from Paris telling of the roundup of a well-organized" band operating among Parisian students.

Police also were reported to have arrested 26 Communists at Arles and interned 61 other "undesirables."

VISITORS DEPART

HARLINGEN — Mr. and Mrs. David Taylor have returned to their home in Cristobal, Canal Zone, after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Preston at Combes.

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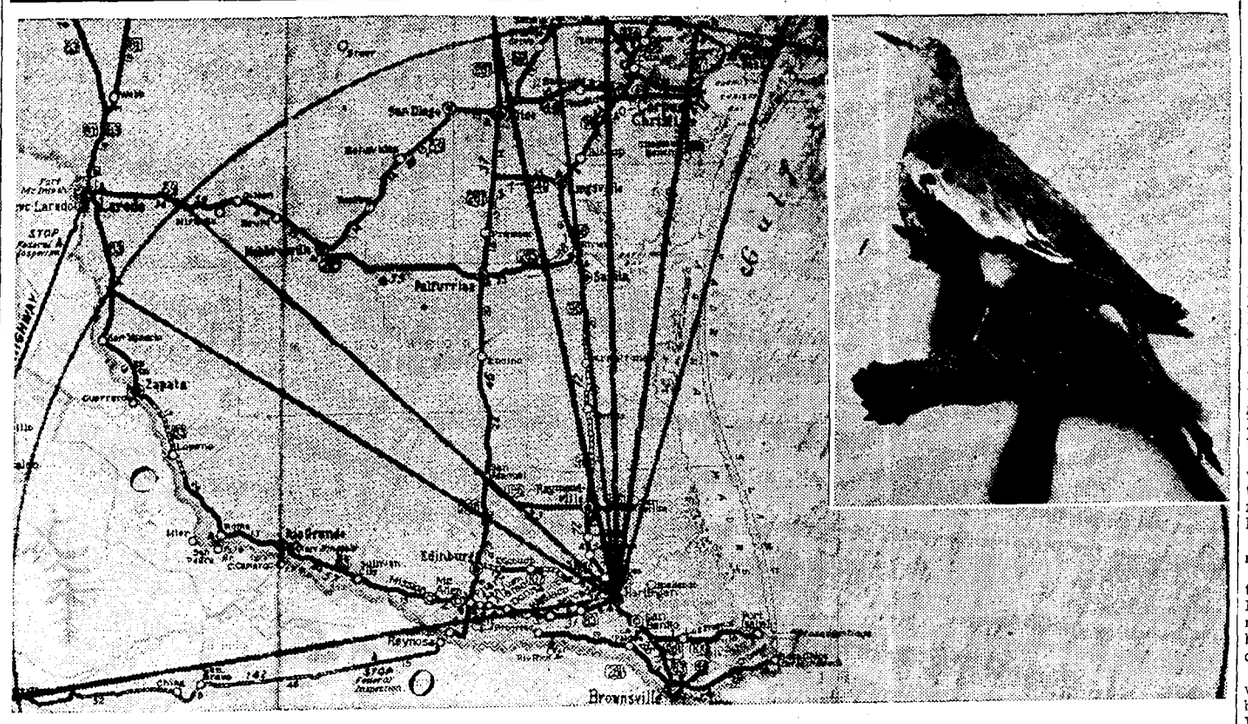

Early in the whitewing season which closed in the Valley Saturday, Game Warden Charlie Jones estimated 4,000 hunters would kill 1,000,000 whitewings during the hunting season. Placed wing to wing, that many birds stretches out to some 142 miles, figuring the average bird as having a wingspread of 9 inches. So a million dead whitewings, placed wingtip to wingtip, would stretch from Harlingen to such points as Aransas Pass, Taft, Sandia, and Mirando City, as the above map shows. It would also reach to within a few miles of Freer, Laredo or Monterrey. Which you will admit, is stretching it quite a bit. At that, 4,000 hunters did quite a bit of blasting. With only 44 hunting days, they averaged killing 250 birds each for the season, or nearly six birds per day per nimrod.

Former Valley Man Plays Major Role In 1940 Success Of State Fair In Person Of Harry Seay, Show's Chief

McALLEN—This year's State Fair of Texas at Dallas broke numerous records for the annual exposition, and the man chiefly responsible is a former Valley resident.

He is Harry L. Seay, who maintained a home near Mercedes for several years and was prominently identified with development of the Rio Grande Valley as head of the American Land and Irrigation Company.

Seay has been president of the State Fair Association for the past two years.

New Records Established

In a recent letter to a Valley friend, Seay declared the fair "has assumed such proportions that it keeps one busy the year round, but for a month or two before it opens, for the 16 days it is in operation, and for about 30 days after it closes it is about the busiest place you ever saw.

"This year we broke several records. We had the largest opening day crowd, the largest single day's crowd (215,000) and the largest 16-day attendance, 1,116,000, or an average of nearly 70,000 per day.

"What looks most encouraging is that we have paid all of our bills and have a little over $20,000 in cash in the bank. I am not familiar with the yearly records throughout the years, but imagine that is going to be another record. It is awfully hard work, but the most interesting work imaginable. There is never a dull moment. One day you are working with cattlemen, another time with the farmers, the horse-raisers, chicken raisers, dairymen. Then we have the industrial exhibits, arts and textiles.

Continue New Plan

"We have to arrange for a show in our auditorium. This year we erected a stage in front of the old race track grandstand and had an open air performance which turned out very well and we will probably continue it. Last year we had the Tipica Orchestra from Mexico City which made quite a hit. This year we couldn't get the Tipica, but we had four Mariachi bands consolidated into one and trained by Maestro Vasquez of the University of Mexico. I believe it was better received than the Tipica. There is a wide difference between the two. The Tipica are all trained musicians, while the Mariachis are natural musicians. The Tipica played a great deal of the classical music, which the Mariachis stuck to folk songs and dances and strictly Mexican music.

"An amusing incident occurred last year on the opening night of the fair at the Queen of Queens. The old maestro Lerdo Tejada thought it would be a courteous gesture to open his program with an American selection. The crowd were all eager to hear the beautiful Mexican music, and you can imagine their surprise when he opened up with 'The Beer Barrel Polka.'

Mexican Programs

"The Mariachis did not attempt any American jazz, but all programs were strictly Mexican.

"We had three big football games and nine high school games. We had the largest and best cattle exhibit ever held in the United States and possibly in the world, as I do not know of any country that features cattle like we do.

"'Negro Day' was the most interesting day we had. Over 80,000 Negroes were on the grounds and they enjoyed it more than any others, and they were about the best behaved crowds we had."

Seay also is a former president of the Southland Life Insurance Company.

Suspect Nabbed

Indicted Texan May Be Extradited

COMANCHE —(AP)— Sheriff Wid Spivey said Saturday Clifford Brook, 20, indicted here two weeks ago in the slaying of J. D. Couch, 64, had been arrested at Claremore, Okla.

Frank Barton, 19, is in jail here also charged with the slaying. Couch's nearly nude body was found in his dugout home near Gustine, Tex., last Aug. 18. He was believed to have been slain and robbed two days before the body was found.

Sheriff Spivey said extradition proceedings for Brook, who is held by the Claremore sheriff, were pending.

Newsstand Is Upheld In Court Decision

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—Declaring that "liberty of circulating" newspapers is as essential to freedom of the press as "liberty of publishing," Judge L. Stauffer Oliver refused Saturday to order the removal of a newsstand from a street corner adjoining the property of a complaining land-owner.

The property owner contended the newsstand was a public nuisance.

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XMAS LIGHTS ARE PUT UP

Streets At McAllen Get Decorations

McALLEN—McAllen's Main street assumed a Christmas-time expression Saturday as workmen completed hanging balsam ropes, electrically lighted, throughout the business area.

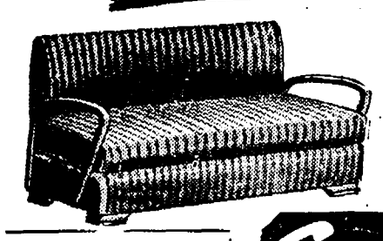
With practically all the stores decorated for the holiday shoppers with gay red and green color combinations, it appeared that the Christmas season had begun.

Additional decorative effects will be installed within the next few days.

The decorations are being paid from a fund collected by the McAllen Junior Chamber of Commerce members from the downtown merchants.

Some American colleges now are offering courses in the Economics of Canada.

Don't miss these



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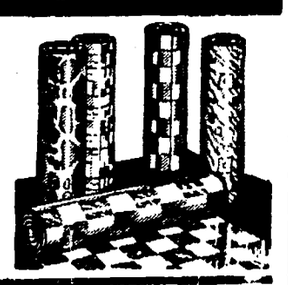

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CHARRO DAYS PLANS SHAPE

Won't Permit Shaves After Christmas

BROWNSVILLE — Brownsville's muchly-publicized Charro Days celebration is only three months away and officials began to swing into their final arrangements here this week.

Friday noon civic leaders who will conduct the finance drive met at the White Kitchen and mapped their plans.

Robin M. Pate, president of Charro Days, announced Friday that arrangements had been completed for the parade, pageant, carnival and rodeo.

John B. Rogers Company of Fostoria, Ohio, will be in charge of the huge "Court of Nations" pageant to be staged at Tucker Field. Local school officials are already working on plans for this event.

Kohler and Crofoot of Brownsville have been awarded the contract for construction of the many floats to be used in the spectacular daytime and night parades.

Alamo Shows has been given permission for the carnival concession.

The rodeo will be in charge of that famous westerner, Col. Zack Miller, who will not only bring many of his colorful performers here, but will act as master of ceremonies.

Plans for the Charro Days Regatta, which will bring such famous outboard racers as Gar Wood and Worth Boggeman here, were announced here Friday by R. W. Pitts, chairman of the race committee.

The regatta will be held on Sunday, February 23.

Last scheduled shave for Brownsville residents was set for Christmas Day, after which any male resident of the area appearing on the streets with a clean shaven face faces "stiff" penalties from the Charro Court of the Brush.

Bolivian Married

Valley Woman Weds Randolph Flier

SAN ANTONIO—Lieut. Federico Pol of the Bolivian air corps was married at the Catholic Shrine of the Little Flower Saturday to Miss Estella Canales, daughter of Jesus M. Canales, Premont business man, and a niece of J. T. Canales, Brownsville attorney.

A civil ceremony preceded the church wedding. The bridegroom is a graduate of Randolph Field. The couple left for a New York honeymoon, after which they will go to Washington where Lieut. Pol will report to the Bolivian legation pending assignment.

Shades Of Jules Verne, A Booster

BROWNSVILLE—The Valley of Tomorrow—a dream in technicolor beyond the expectations or imaginations of the region's greatest boosters—is pictured in a 10-page letter received Saturday by the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce.

The letter comes—of all places—from California, and its writer has been unanimously voted the No. 1 Valley Booster.

A world's fair in the Valley in 1943, four-lane highways, seawalls, streamlined railways, causeways, a Valley university, are a few of the desired objectives pictured in the communication, from James D. Lindsey, now with Company D, 17th Infantry, Fort Ord, Monterey, California.

Wants World Fair

"I believe the Lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas should have a world's fair in 1943," writes Lindsey. "It should have a World's Fair because, in the first place, the Valley is large enough and wealthy enough . . .

"The Valley will be the First City in Texas before 1943, although it is only the fourth city now.

"But before the Valley has a World's Fair, there are several things should be done. First, the Valley should decide the location of the fair.

"I believe the best place would be at or near Del Mar. Of course every city would help decide the location, because all will share in the expense.

A Mere Trifle

"The second thing the Valley should do is to build at least 4,000 more miles of concrete highway.

The third thing the Valley should do is to have the Texas state highway department make four-lane highways out of all the state highways there.

"The fourth thing is to plant palms and purple sage along all the highways. All the highways should be lighted at night, the main highways to be flanked with sidewalks.

"Where every street, state or county highway crosses a railroad, the street or highway should be under the railroad by viaduct or underpass.

And Bridges, Too

"A large four-lane bridge should be built from Del Mar to Port Isabel, another four-lane bridge from Del Mar to Brazos Island, another four-lane bridge from Brazos Island to Padre Island, and still another four-lane bridge from Padre Island to Port Isabel, and the fifth large four-lane bridge should go from the north end of Brazos Island to Port Isabel.

"These five large bridges should be built high enough above water to allow ocean-going ships to pass under them, and the bridges should be lighted at night.

"Five great sea walls should be built in the Valley, as large as the one at Galveston. One sea wall should be built at Del Mar, one at the south end of Brazos Island, one at the north end of Brazos Island, one at the south end of Padre Island, and the fifth at Port Isabel.

"The Valley should have at least one $25,000,000 college, with a great football team.

"Seven hotels, large as the Roosevelt in New Orleans, should be built in Brownsville, three large hospitals as large as the Jefferson Davis in Houston, 35 new large golf courses should be built in the Valley.

More Details

"A streamlined railway should run from Rio Grande City to Brownsville, to Del Mar, to Port Isabel, to Harlingen, from Harlingen back to Rio Grande City. The streamlined railway should be at least a two-way track.

"Large depots should be built, as large as the union depot in Houston.

"A four-lane highway should run from Raymondville to Corpus Christi. The Valley should be able to get these things with help from the federal government.

"The World's Fair of 1943 should cost about $85,000,000. The government will give the Valley 50 years to pay this back, but the Valley can do it in 10 years.

"I sure hope the Valley will have a World's Fair in 1943 because to show the world, the South can do something great, Texas can do something great, and the greatest place in the world, the Valley can do something great."

CHURCH SENDS CITRUS FRUIT

Carload Planned For Methodist Home

HARLINGEN—Valley churches of the Southwest Texas Methodist Conference, which for the last dozen years have sent a carload of citrus fruit to the Methodist Children's Home at Waco, will send the 1940 shipment December 14.

This carload of fruit is in addition to their regular donation of money since the home is not an endowed institution and depends on free will offerings of Texas and New Mexico Methodist for its maintenance.

District superintendents for the funds campaign include Rev. M. D. Council, Brownsville.

VISIT IN DONNA

DONNA — Mrs. A. S. Pike and small son of Conroe are spending the holidays with Mrs. Pike's mother, Mrs. B. C. Yerger in Donna.

Municipal Auditorium

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Texas Record Vote Now Made Official

Total Of 1,041,168 Ballots Cast For State Presidential Electors Tops 1932

By The Associated Press

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texans stuffed a record 1,041,168 votes for presidential electors into ballot boxes November 5.

The state's election board's canvass of voting Saturday showed the total exceeded by 191,630 the vote in the 1932 general election, the previous record, and by 198,630 the 1936 vote.

The results were certified as official although 33 of the state's 254 counties failed to report within the statutory deadline which was November 25.

Results of the gubernatorial race will be canvassed by the House of Representatives after January 14. This is a requirement of law. The governor is a member of the election board.

Democratic electors garnered 840,151 votes and others were distributed as follows: Republican 199,152; Socialist 728; Communist 212; Prohibition 925.

Senate Race Pattern

With one exception, the race for U. S. Senate established the pattern for other state-wide races. Senator Tom Connally received 978,095 votes. The Republican candidate, George I. Shannon of Amarillo, got 59,340. Homer Brooks of Houston, the Communist standard bearer, received 408.

The exception was the agricultural commissioner contest in which J. E. McDonald was re-elected with a total vote of 647,911. W. N. Bill Corry of Keller was announced as a independent after McDonald, a Democrat, advocated the election of Wendell L. Willkie got 453,573 write-in votes. O. T. Campbell of Waco, the Communist candidate, received 5,755 in the scramle that developed Tom Martin of Johnson City, a second independent, won 8,816 and some 60 persons shared the remaining 696 votes.

Amendment Vetoed

Voters defeated, 207,053 to 167,204 a constitutional amendment authorizing Red River county to levy a special tax to refund county warrants.

Other amendments carried, as follows:

Appointment of notaries public by the secretary of state—318,061 for, 155,964 against.

Exempting municipal appointive officers and employes from the constitutional two-year term limitation—222,559 for, 147,919 against.

Authorizing direct appeal to the supreme court from trial court injunctions involving the constitutionality of laws or administrative orders—268,645 for, 114,343 against.

Alexander High

The highest individual vote, 999,635, went to James P. Alexander of Waco, Democratic candidate for chief justice of the supreme court.

Other results in state-wide races included:

Attorney general—Mann (D) 995,626; Lane (R) 54,757; Wright (C) 280.

Chief justice supreme court — Alexander (D) 999,843; Beckenstein (R) 55,506.

Associate justice supreme court—Sharp (D) 993,635; Ingram (R) 55,768.

Criminal Appeals

Associate justice court criminal appeals—Beauchamp (D) 998,477; Nossaman (R) 55,529.

Railroad commissioner — Culberson (D) 996,363; McDowell (R) 55,190; Hardaway (C) 276.

Comptroller—Sheppard (D) 999,679; Gunst (R) 55,038.

Commissioner general land office —Giles (D) 998,408; Sweet (R) 55,438.

Treasurer

Treasurer—Lockhart (D) 996,982; Bullington (R) 55,518.

State superintendent public instruction—Woods (D) 995,930; Mrs. M. Brents Witty (R) 55,270.

Commissioner of agriculture—McDonald (D) 647,911; Corry (Ind) 453,573; Campbell (C) 5,755; Martin (Ind) 8,616.

Constitutional Amendments

Special tax for Red River county —167,254 for, 207,053 against.

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Authorizing direct appeal to supreme court in injunctions involving constitutionality of laws or administrative orders—268,645 for, 114,343 against.

DONNA'S FETE SENDS ENVOYS

Motorcade To Tour Valley Monday

DONNA—All arrangements have been completed for Donna's annual Dia Grande celebration to be held here December 5 and 6. A motorcade of 50 will tour the Valley Monday to invite citizens of the sector to attend the two-day event. The motorcade will include the Donna high school band, and will be accompanied by Miss Betty Vertrees, who is Miss Bougainvillea in the celebration's featured pageant.

Practically every city in the Valley will be represented in the Bougainvillea "March of Time" production. Girls selected by local garden clubs will form the cast for the pageant, which will be staged both evenings of the celebration at the high school athletic field.

Featured Events

Other featured events of the celebration will include a tractor and machinery exhibit, a baby and doll buggy parade, flower show, United States Army display, the diaper derby, old fiddlers contest, terrapin derby, personality parade, and a carnival. Four school bands and three sound trucks will take part in the celebration.

The celebration will open Thursday noon, December 5, with the flower show. The old fiddlers contest will be held at 2 p. m., and at four the baby parade will take place. The tractor and implement display will be open throughout the day and evening.

"March Of Time"

At 8:30 p. m. first showing of the Bougainvillea March of Time will be held. At 10:30 p. m. the Bougainvillea Dance will begin at the American Legion hall, while the Latin-American Dance will be staged at the same time at the Woman's building.

On Friday, December 6, the flower show, implement display and carnival will again be open all day and evening, and the army will stage a demonstration during the morning. The terrapin derby will be held at 1:30 p. m. The personality parade will be at 7:30 p. m., following which the concluding Bougainvillea March of Time performance will be given. Dances similar to those of the preceding evening, and at the same halls, will conclude the celebration.

Army Camp

The United States Army will have one of the most interesting portions of the celebration. The members of Headquarters Troop of the 12th Cavalry Regiment from Fort Brown, commanded by Captain C. J. Hoy, will arrive in Donna on the afternoon of Thursday, December 5, and camp overnight in the city park. The troop will include the scout car reconnaisance platoon, motor transport platoon, regimental headquarters and staff platoon, and the regimental communications platoon.

Equipment is of the newest type, and men will be detailed to explain operation of the army's finest fighting tools.

Change Seen

Chamber Directors' Terms Studied

McALLEN—A proposed amendment to the constitution and by-laws of the McAllen chamber of commerce will be discussed at a special directors meeting Monday at 2 p. m.

The amendment will provide for staggering the terms of directors in such a way that four directors will be elected to three-year terms; four to two years and three for one year.

If approved the amendment will be submitted to the annual membership banquet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel December 3 for final consideration.

The directors will alos consider signing a lease with the Missouri Pacific Railroad Company on whose land the new annex has been constructed, officials said.

Mission Man Hurt In Auto Accident

EDINBURG—Harry Gernentz o. Mission sustained cuts and bruises about the head in a three-car collision Saturday at 10 a. m. a mile and a half west of here at the intersection of State Highway 107 and Martin road.

Walter Lysinger, county patrolman, said an eyewitness told him a pickup truck driven by Cirilo G. Ballesteros of Edinburg struck the rear of a sedan driven by Mrs. Gertrude R. Quist, winter visitor at McAllen, while both cars were traveling east. After striking the Quist car, Ballesteros' machine swered to the opposite side of the road and collided head-on with a small westbound truck driven by Gernentz.

STUDENT VISITS HOME

McALLEN—Fletcher Barton, A. and M. College student, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Barton

Catholic Mass To Be Shown In Film

McALLEN—Of interest to many valley residents will be the motion picture on the Roman Catholic mass to be shown at the McAllen Junior High school auditorium at 8 p.m. Sunday.

Rev. Father Emmett Walsh of McAllen, ordained a priest here last summer, will be the main character in the show in his role as celebrant of the mass. Along with the picture, sound effects will carry an explanation of the ritual. The picture was made at San Antonio. Tickets may be purchased at the door. Rev. Father Charles Buckley, pastor of the local church, said.

Noted Singer Will Appear At McAllen

McALLEN—Miss Marinela Farias, music student of New York and San Antonio, will sing in English, Spanish, French and Italian at the regular meeting of the Rotary club Wednesday.

The young lady, who is studying to be a concert singer, and who with her mother is visiting Valley friends, will be presented by Ramon Longoria, McAllen attorney.

ARRIVE FOR WINTER

SAN JUAN—Mr. and Mrs. C .M Kinney and daughter, Mrs. Guy Ward and baby, of Oklahoma City, came here recently and have moved into the W. F. Good home. They plan to spend the winter months here

Recruits Arrive At Fort Bliss

Part of the 56th Cavalry Brigade, Texas National Guard, is shown on arrival at Fort Bliss, El Paso, to begin a year's training. Weary from long train rides, the youths stretched out to get some rest. The cavalrymen moved to Fort Bliss this week.

Rio Grande Valley Oil Fields Stage Comeback During Week With Nearly Score Of New Locations Reported

McALLEN — Development in Lower Rio Grande Valley proven fields staged a comeback during the past week, when seven new producers were turned into storage and a dozen wells were drilling. Nearly a score of new locations were staked, including 15 in the Boyle field in southern Starr, three in the Colorado field and others in scattered proven fields.

The Colorado field, one of South Texas' few producing areas which has not yet encountered salt water, added four new wells during the week and several additional tests will be drilled soon.

The new producers include two for Sun Oil Company and one each for V. F. Neuhaus and C. Andrade III.

Sun's No. 12 N. S. Thaxton, Survey 630, in the north part of the field, pumped 92 barrels daily from sand cored at 2,933-42 feet. Sun's No. 14 N. S. Thaxton, also in the north part of the field and in Survey 630, made 170 barrels daily on 3-16-inch tubing choke from sand at 2,950-62 feet with 350 pounds tubing working pressure and 610 closed-in casing pressure. Sun spudded the No. 13 Thaxton, Survey 630, this week-end.

V. F. Neuhaus' No. B-4 F. G. Trevino, Survey 38, in the south part of the field, cored the field sand at 2,980-90 feet and cemented 5 1-2-inch o.d. oil string atop the sand. The well was turned into storage Friday but production figures were not available.

C. Andrade III No. D-4 F. G. Trevino, Survey 37, in the north part of the field, was also completed but details were unavailable. The well cored sand at 2,937-46 feet and cemented oil string atop sand.

V. F. Neuhaus' No. A-4 F. G. Trevino, Survey 38, in the south part of the field, gauged 237 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke from sand at 2,976-87 feet, where the hole was bottomed. Tubing working pressure of 240 pounds and closed-in casing pressure of 550 pounds were recorded.

C. Andrade III No. D-1 F. G. Trevino, Survey 37, was also completed, but details were not available.

In the Boyle field in southern Starr Borsodi Petroleum Coompany finished a new well in the south part of the field while Sun Oil Company was testing its new south edge well for the area.

Borsodi's No. 3 Juan de Dios Vela, Share 2-A, Portion 92, Camargo Jurisdiction, cored the field sand at 3,234-48 feet and drilled to total depth of 3,750 feet. Casing (5 1-2-inch o.d.) was cemented at 3,350 feet for production test. Through casing perforations (40 shots) at 3,234-48 feet, the well flowed 10 to 15 barrels daily through open casing, formation pressure being insufficient to flow the well properly. Operators acidized the sand, but it failed to open up, and the well will be pumped. The oil is still flowing a few barrels daily through open casing.

Borsodi moved immediately to the No. 4 Vela, Share 2-A, Portion 92, Camargo Jurisdiction, which spudded Saturday, then staked 10 additional locations on its Vela leases in Portions 91 and 92, all of them west of present production.

South of the Boyle discovery, Fidelity Oil and Gas Company No. D-5 E. B. Carruth et al, Portion 92, Camargo Jurisdiction, was reported drilling past 2,000 feet. Fidelity has staked three other locations in the immediate vicinity.

On the south edge of present Booyle production, Sun Oil No. 1 Juan de Dios Vela, Share 2-A, Portion 92, Camargo Jurisdiction, had squeezed original perforations and was preparing to perforate for second production test in sand cored at 3,170-91 feet. The first test included formation at 3,188-91 feet.

Northwest of all production at Boyle, Dean and Hendrickson's No. 1 M. M. Garcia, Share 215, Portion 90, Camargo Jurisdiction, was reported drilling around 2,990 feet on a very interesting wildcat.

The Sullivan City field southwestern Hidalgo county added another producer and another new test was started.

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 2 Tomas (Villareal) Flores, Tract 236, Portion 38, Reynosa Jurisdiction, gauged 95 barrels daily on 3-32-inch tubing choke through casing perforations (48 shots) at 4,126-34 feet. Tubing working pressure of 750 pounds and closed-in casing pressure of 925 pounds were recorded.

John Messenger's No. A-2 V. G. Chapa was ready to spud on location on the northeast edge of the field in Tract 238, Portion 40, Reynosa Jurisdiction.

The Sun field in northeastern Starr had another well in the northwest part of the producing area on the sand and about ready for production test. Sun's No. A-6 E. A. and N. R. Montalvo, Tract 3, Los Retaches Grant, bottomed the hole at 4,880 feet, where 7-inch o.d. oil string was cemented. Production tests are scheduled for the regular field sands.

Two new wells were nearing the pay in the Rincon field in eastern Starr, while a new test was under way in the Yzaguirre sector of the eastern edge of Rincon. Two additional locations were staked nearby.

Continental Oil No. A-18 Slick Estate, Survey 455, in the central section of the field, was drilling in shale at 3,730 feet, while Continental's No. B-39 Slick Estate, Survey 266, in the center of the chief producing area, was drilling shale past 4,035 feet.

Complete Oil Well Service Company, which has drilled many wells in the Rincon and Colorado fields and which opened the Yzaguirre sector of Rincon several months ago, is drilling a new test and has staked otwo additional locations. Complete's No. 2 Manuel Yzaguirre, Section 227, about 8,500 feet east of all production at Rincon except for the No. 1 Yzaguirre, spudded and cemented 10 3-4-inch o.d. surface pipe around 300 feet. The No. 2 Yzaguirre is about 1,320 feet west of the No. 1 Yzaguirre. Location for the No. 3 Yzaguirre is 660 feet north of No. 2, and location for the No. 4 Yzaguirre is 660 feet north of No. 1.

In the San Salvador field in central Hidalgo county, Gulf States Oil Company No. 1 Carmen Cardenas de Cavazos, Share 155, San Salvador del Tule Grant, was shut in after cleaning itself quickly. Operators completed the well in two sands, from one of which gas and distillate will be produced. Through the other, gas stripped of its distillate by the company's new $100,000 recycling plant, will be returned to the formation. The well was completed through casing perforations (46 shots- at 7,910-20 feet and with 38 shots at 7,333-45 feet. The lower sand will produce through tubing and the upper sand through casing. Closed-in pressures are 3,200 pounds on casing and 3,400 pounds on tubing.

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McALLEN — Wildcats in northeastern Brooks county and southeastern Cameron county were the only deep holes drilling in Lower Rio Grande Valley wildcat areas Saturday and both of them were "tight" holes.

Sun Oil Company was completing a semi-wildcat in eastern Starr county, however, which promised to prove production from a second sand in the new north Rincon area to extend the area another 1,700 feet to the north.

The Sun test was its No. 2 Mateo Saenz, Survey 80, about five miles north of the Rincon field proper. Through casing perforations (20 shots) at 4,398-4,402 feet, the well was making oil on 5-16-inch tubing choke with 50 pounds tubing working pressure and 700 pounds closed-in casing pressure while on potential test. The No. 1 Saenz, about 1,700 feet to the south, was completed in a 5,600-foot sand.

For the first time in several years, there was not a single out-and-out wildcat rig running anywhere in Starr county Saturday.

In northeastern Brooks county, J. M. West Production Company and Dan Auld's No. 1 Wm. Ehlers, Section 12, Burton and Danforth Subdivision, Loma Blanca Grant, was reported coring around 8,500 feet on a deep test. Only information available thus far was a reported sand with oil show around 8,013-30 feet which recovered 45 feet of gas-cut mud in 45 minutes on drill stem test. A second test of the lower five feet of this same sand was reported to have recovered a slight show of oil. How much deeper the hole will go is not known.

In southeastern Cameron, more attention is being given Pure Oil Company No. 4 Gatewood Newberry, Share 3, Shelton Award Survey, as the result of last week's strike of Pan-American in eastern Willacy county. The Pure hole was reported drilling around 5,900 feet after cementing protection string at 5,000 feet, but no definite information is available from the well. It is headed for 10,000 feet, and Falcon-Seaboard Drilling Company, Houston, has the contract.

Carter and Rubsamen, Houston contractors who drilled the Pan-American No. 1 Porfirio Garcia, discovery well of the new Willamar field in eastern Willacy, have been unable to move a wheel for several days because of heavy rains in the vicinity. All roads were submerged and it has been impossible to move the heavy rig to the new Pan-American location, the No. 1-B Willamar community, about 1,000 feet southwest of discovery in the Teodoro Garcia tract in Share 13, San Juan de Carricitos Grant.

In eastern Starr county, W. R. Davis, Incorporated, No. 1 Harry Seyfriedt, Survey 928, about 1,600 feet east of the Complete Oil Well Service Company No. 1 Yzaguirre, easternmost production in the Rincon area, was still a "tight" well. The hole was reportedly bottomed at 6,006 feet and casing was cemented around 5,750 feet. Several deep sands were being tested, according to reports.

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Alamo Crash Filings Increasing

EDINBURG—Four more damage suits against the St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico railway for losses assertedly suffered in last March's truck-train accident at Alamo brought to $672,575 Saturday the total amount asked of the railway by families affected by the crash. Twenty-nine persons died as a result of the collision and numbers of others were injured. The new petions ask $115,950.

Atadio Gamez, 19, of Starr county, one of the persons injured in the crash, filed suit in district court here Saturday asking $10,000 in damages and $250 for payment of doctor, hospital and drug bills. Santos Rosa, 9, also represented in one of the new suits, asks $10,000 in damages and $200 in bills.

Suing for himself and two children, Gregorio Alanis asks damages totaling $45,000. His petition asks $25,000 for the death of Delfina Alanis, his 12-year-old daughter, killed in the crash; $5,000 for injury to his son, Pedro, 14; and $15,000 for injury to his son Jesus, 9.

Largest of the new suits is one asking damages totaling $50,500, filed by Mrs. Natividad F. Ramon and her nine children.

Mrs. Ramon is the widow of Jose Ramon, one of those killed in the collision and the owner of the truck in which about 40 persons were riding when it was struck by a passenger train at an Alamo crossing. For the death of her husband, Mrs. Ramon seeks damages of $10,000, for loss of the truck $500 and for the childfren's loss of their father $40,000.

As in the case of numerous other damage suits filed as a result of the crash, the new petitions list Guy A. Thompson, trustee for the Missouri Pacific system, as defendant in the case. The St. Louis Brownsville and Mexico line is a subsidiary of the Missouri Pacific.

The first of the suits called for trial a few weeks ago were continued to later dates.

Patterson Fetes McAllen Friends

McALLEN—S. M. Patterson, former Edinburg chamber of commerce manager who is leaving today for his new post at Littlefield, Tex., entertained a few of his McAllen friends with a dinner at the Casa de Palmas Hotel Friday night.

Brief speeches by all present marked the entertainment for Patterson's farewell.

Present were Fidencio Guerra, C. H. Britton, Paul T. Vickers, Van E. Cook, W. H. Moon, Dr. G. Van Amber Brown, Si Casady, W. W. Dees and E. A. Polzin.

GOING TO HOUSTON

PHARR—Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Slocum left Wednesday for Eagle Lake where they will spend the Thanksgiving holidays with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lindsey and baby son, Robert Fenton.

91 Men Comprise Valley Border Patrol Strength

14 Additional Recruits Expected When Called By Civil Service

McALLEN—Ninety-one members of the United States Border Patrol comprise the personnel of the service now guarding this section of the border.

While total strength of this division is 105 men, additional recruits will not be available until another eligible list is tendered by the civil service commission.

Within the past month death and the United States Army have taken three border patrolmen from this district. The death Friday of John H. Cottingham removed one of the service's most experienced men. Michael P. Ryan and Hershel R. Adams, both officers in the army reserve, were called to duty during the month.

Thirty-one newcomers are stationed at the 13 posts in this district where their training is being completed under the direction of the service's older men.

The 25 men who are stationed at the McAllen headquarters include Fletcher L. Rawls, chief, John R. Peavy, L. T. McCollister, James P. Cottingham, Ernest A. Kilborn, Ned D. Henderson, Andrew P. Wright, Leslie H. Buchanan, Howell Norwood, Madison W. Kuykendall, John E. Hensley, Ray Fred, William A. Stephenson, F. Leon Mullen, Robert D. Daffin, Herbert M. Johnson, William O. Britt, with new recruits, Richard I. Newcomb and Jerome F. Reilley; radio operator, Lorn L. Howard; clerk, Ladik A. Morkovsky; mechanics, John W. Griffin and Ralph H. Hall; and laborers, Leslie Chaney and Antonio Garcia.

Various district posts and the patrolmen stationed at each include: Brownsville, Charlie Wallis, Delbert A. Valentine, Samuel W. McKone, Charlie Agee, Manuel A. Saldana, James A. Lowe, with recent appointees, James W. Nielson, Rea P. McKinney, Walter E. Bell, Jr., and James A. York.

Harlingen: William A. Holt and Samuel Ruskin with new patrolmen, Edward J. Pierson, Daniel R. Colley and Ray H. Barnes. Mercedes: Clifton D. Brown, Arthur C. Swaim and Francis Quebodeaux and Omer L. Hix, with new patrolman, Gerald E. Mecham.

Weslaco: Charles E. Wroten and Oscar D. Kelley, with new patrolmen, Ellis M. Anderson, Frederick J. Wiedersheim Jr., and Stewart C. Strait. Mission: Thomas E. Phillips, Faler L. Armitage, Marshall N. Ney, and William T. Toney, Jr., with new patrolmen, William O. Dunham, Leonard J. Martin and Robert W. Anderson.

La Grulla: I. E. Snavely and John N. McCoy with new patrolmen, Hugh S. Rice, Waldo A. Roberts and George A. Beaven, Jr. Rio Grande City: Jesse Perez, Jr., and Wayne R. Brady with new patrolmen, Paul L. Westbrook, Jeff T. Wilkes and John A. Zivnuska.

Roma: Oscar A. Whittlesey and Rufus E. O'Farrell, Jr., with Gerard W. Hollander, new patrolman. Edinburg: Albin Ulrickson and Harry F. Helmke, with new patrolmen, David C. Flippe and Douglas R. O'Connell.

Raymondville: Oscar M. Stetson with new patrolmen Roy P. Robbins and James A. Bussey. Falfurrias: Kenneth S. Lenington, Joseph Sureck, Bernard F. Mecke, Charles L. Austin, Early U. Nelson, John L. Nolan, Edward S. Callihan, with new patrolmen Daniel E. Kornegay, David Snow and Leon F. Bugh. Kingsville: William A. Fleming, Edmund H. Levy, Jesse W. Jones, Virgil R. Clark and Carl F. Frazier.

MOVE TO LOUISIANA

MISSION — Mr. and Mrs. James J. Nachlinger, formerly of Mission, are moving this week-end from Auburn, Nebr., to Houma, La. Mrs. Nachlinger is the former Miss Juanita Krueger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Krueger of Mission.

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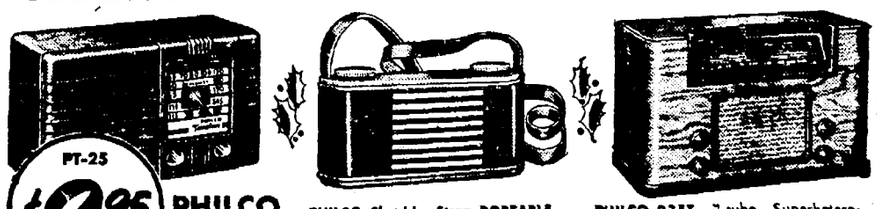

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SPORTS

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By E.C. Doc OSBORN

What Happened?

We were asked many times yesterday this question, "What happened to Harlingen at Corpus Christi Friday night?"

Perhaps the best answer would be one similar to that used by Dick Freeman, Houston sports editor, when he told a fan about a Rice loss—Corpus Christi happened to Harlingen.

We watched the Cardinals take that 33-6 whipping at the hands of the Buccaneers and it was a clean one from start to finish. From the time a Buc back picked up a fumble and put the ball in scoring position three minutes after the game got under way right to the final whistle, the outcome was never in doubt.

It is our opinion that the Buccaneers are at least a two-touchdown better team than the Cardinals, perhaps three at their best. We do not believe that the Cardinals played the brand of football they are capable of but if they had clicked at their best, it no doubt would have been just a case of a closer score. Had the game been played in Harlingen, the Cardinals would possibly have held the score down but we believe they still would have lost, perhaps not by such a score.

We do not believe there can be even the slightest possibility of any fan who saw the game, coming up with an alibi for the Red Birds. If so, they must be classed as "die-hards." No doubt many will use the word "if" when discussing the game but that is just a waste of time for the score was 33 to 6 in favor of Corpus Christi and that is all that can be made of it.

We frankly admit that the Buccaneers were a much better team last Friday night than we thought they were. We had not seen them play this season and were basing our opinion of their ability on the class of teams they had defeated during the season—except Robstown—and we simply were mistaken in believing that the Cardinals had a chance.

True the Cardinals made many mistakes in the game Friday night but most of them were caused by the Buccaneers. The Buc line simply could not be budged an inch by the Cardinal forward wall. If it ever was, it happened when we had our head turned. The blocking of the Buccaneers was machine-like and the ball-carriers were put out in the clear time and time again. And nearly all of the Corpus Christi backs appeared to have plenty of drive left after being tackled. At least after the style of tackling the Cardinals were using.

Coach Harry Stietler came up with a tricky offense. We never saw it before and many times we had trouble following the ball. We were sitting in the press box with nothing else to do but follow the pigskin and we can imagine that it was all pretty confusing to the Harlingen players. In the game Friday night we saw nothing unusual about the Bues' passing game but they really did not need it. A little shovel pass they used was a honey.

We believe the Cardinals can hold their heads high for they were defeated by a superior team. They need not be ashamed of themselves regardless of how disappointed they might be in not making a better showing against the Bucs.

Frank Witherspoon, Harlingen's offensive star, played a whale of a game and he drew a big round of applause from the Corpus Christi fans when he was taken out of the game with just a few seconds left. They paid tribute to a fine high school back who on last Friday night carried the heavy burden of being forced to play most of the game with little help from his blockers. Jimmy Grant came through in fine style. Jack McMahan, center, played far and away the best game of the season as did Ned Davis and Mike Jurosek. Charley Amidon, when he was in, gave a good account of himself. Ray Baker's punting was good.

We congratulate Harry Stietler and his Buccaneers for winning the championship of District 16-AA and we hope he goes right on and wins in the state finals. The Bucs are representing South Texas and are OUR team from now on.

Of all the cracks made regarding the play of the Cardinals against the Bucs, we believe Tommy Montgomery of Harlingen, takes the palm when he said "It looked to me like the Cardinals just lost their equilibrium."

School Elevens In First Round

By The Associated Press

All bi-district games in the Texas schoolboy football race had been arranged Saturday night.

The last was Corpus Christi and Brackenridge (San Antonio), who will play at San Antonio Friday night.

The other pairings:

Friday—El Paso High at Big Spring, Greenville at Paris, Stephenville at Temple, Lufkin at Longview.

Saturday—Wichita Falls at Amarillo, Masonic Home (Fort Worth) vs Sunset at Dallas, Jeff Davis (Houston) at Port Arthur.

These teams are the sixteen district winners who contest for the Class AA state championship.

Bob Brumley Scores Each Rice Point

Bruins Take Lead In 2nd Period

By WILLIAM T. RIVES

HOUSTON—(AP)—Troubleshooter Bob Brumley, Rice's magnificent fullback, blasted in 10 minutes Saturday the hopes Baylor held for tossing the Owls out of the Southwest Conference championship scramble.

Tired of watching Baylor push Rice all over the field, Brumley took charge of the offense in the third period and in stunning time, the Owls had overhauled Baylor and run up a 21-12 lead they never relinquished.

The victory meant that the Rice-Southern Methodist battle here next Saturday will decide which of those two teams will share a tie with Texas A. and M. for the league pennant—barring a deadlock in the game itself.

Brumley scored every one of Rice's points. He broke great holes in the Baylor line and his accurate toe split the crossbar on every try.

His grand performance gave him the conference scoring lead over John Kimbrough of Texas A. and M. and kept Rice in the Cotton Bowl talk.

Brumley's scores were made at the end of 32, 58 and 55-yard drives, all but six yards of which came in the big third period.

Late in the fourth period Baylor tried to come back, getting to Rice's 7 on a dazzling aerial offense before the Owls stiffened.

Baylor started off as if to slaughter Rice, passing and running down the field almost at will. A 76-yard drive brought the first touchdown in the second quarter, Jimmy Witt blasting over from the one-yard line for the score.

Weldon Bigony and Jack Wilson in the same period, started another touchdown spree from the Baylor 35. Finally Witt breezed 33 yards on a reverse for the touchdown.

Baylor had a slight edge in statistics gaining 14 first downs to Rice's 9—Rice made 8 in the third period, picking up 123 yards rushing to Rice 106, and completing 7 of 21 passes for 88 yards, compared with Rice's 5 in 13 tries for 77 yards.

Starting lineup:

Rice	Pos.	Baylor
Tresch	LE	Russell
Hartman	LT	Anderson
Goforth	LG	Haley
Whitlow	C	Nelson
Bassett	RG	Mickler
Kunetka	RT	Griffin
Prichard	RE	Lummus
Brown	QB	Merka
Price	LH	Wilson
Weems	RH	Witt
Zander	FB	Bigony

Score by periods:

Rice	0	0	14	7	—21
Baylor	0	12	0	0	—12

Rice scoring: Touchdowns, Brumley (3); ponts from try after touchdown, Brumley 3 (from placement).

Baylor scoring: Touchdowns, Witt 2.

Miss. Staters Trip Alabama

TUSCALOOSA, Ala.—(AP)—Harvey Johnson led Mississippi State to a well deserved 13 to 0 triumph over Alabama Saturday to give his team its first unbeaten season in modern football history.

Authoritative sources said the victors would be offered an invitation to Miami's Orange Bowl game New Year's Day sometime Saturday night. Mississippi State spokesmen said there was little chance of a decision on any bowl bid before Monday.

Johnson made the first touchdown on a 7-yard slash through the line which followed a 47-yard sprint around end. It came midway of the opening period.

Charley Yancey made the other on a fourth period 23-yard dash through middle, but it was an anti-climax after the way the Mississippi State line, featuring great play by Buddy Elrod, John Tripson, and Hunter Corhern, smeared Alabama scoring chances.

Stock Car Races Scheduled Today

HARLINGEN—A full program of stock car races will be held at the Fair Park track here unday afternoon with the first race carded to get under way at 2 o'clock.

Eight events are listed on the card and drivers from San Antonio, Corpus Christi, San Benito and Harlingen are expected to compete.

All drivers belong to the Rio Grande Valley Racing Association which insures some keen competition and racing fans are certain to witness some thrilling moments.

A racing program will be held each Sunday until further notice.

Steer-A. and M. Films At Arcadia, Capitol

HARLINGEN—The grid game which "Tradition" won, the 7-0 victory Texas University gained Thanksgiving Day over the mighty Texas Aggies, will be seen by many Valleyites this Sunday and Monday.

Films of the game are showing this Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen, and at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville.

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Lyford's Bulldogs, District 36-B Titlists

Pictured above are members of the Lyford Bulldog squad, who Friday night at Raymondville defeated the Falfurrias Jerseys 39 to 12, to add the District 36-B championship to their south zone title. The Bulldogs this year have run up over 200 points against their nine opponents, including three Class A teams, and have won six games to date while losing only three. Shown left to right on the bottom row are Emil Lagerstam, Jones Haping, Ed Nichols, Herman Freeman and Dario Cantu. Center row, left to right, are Hulen Jones, Jake Simpson, Billy Ross, Billy Wilson and Laurence Cantu. Top row, left to right, are W. J. Busse, Bobby Terry, J. B. Ply, Jack Quick, Bobby Evans and Team Manager Wilson Batchelor. Shown at left is Coach Johnny McNabb, and at right, Assistant Coach Bill Corder. James Archer, team center, is not in the picture. (Staff Photo.)

Nebraska Trims Kansas Aggies With Reverses

Likely To Receive Bowl Bid

By RANDALL BLAKE

LINCOLN, Neb.—(AP)—Nebraska's Cornhuskers literally "reversed" themselves into the Big Six football championship and a probable New Year's Day Bowl bid as they walloped Kansas State 20 to 0 Saturday before an estimated 20,000 whooping fans.

The Huskers shot reverse after reverse, both from a single and double wing formation, as they befuddled the Aggies.

The scoring started with eight seconds left in the first half when Herman Rohrig drifted back as if to pass and the Aggies, who had been knocking down tosses consistently, spread with the receivers.

Stocky little Rohrig didn't see an open receiver, so he cut for the sidelines, outrunning three tacklers and picking up a field of blockers. The touchdown run of 14 yards was simple, the little fellow not being touched as the Aggies, caught when Rohrig reversed his field, tried desperately to get at him.

In the third period the Aggies found themselves caught off balance time after time as Walter Luther zipped around the ends and inside tackle on reverse after reverse, two for touchdowns. His first touchdown gallop was on a 32 yard single wing reverse and the second was on a 35 yard sprint on a delayed reverse from the same formation. Mike Francis kicked the extra point after the first touchdown and missed after the second. Rohrig made it good after the third touchdown.

All in all Luther carried the ball on 19 reverses for 161 yards. His average gain per play was 8.47 yards and he was dumped for a loss just once.

The one-sideness of the game is best shown by the 23 first downs Nebraska made and the 431 yards net the Huskers got from scrimmage compared to the three first downs and 11 yards net the Aggies had.

Marquette Upset By Arizona's Wildcats

TUCSON, Ariz.—(AP)—The University of Arizona Wildcats turned in their best performance of the season to edge out Marquette's Golden Avalanche, 17 to 14, in a thrill-packed intersectional football battle here Saturday.

Jack Irish, sub-titute Arizona tackle, saved the game for the Wildcats with a perfect 33-yard placekick for a field goal in the third period. The boot broke a 7-7 deadlock.

Navy Uses Many Backs To Win Over Army 14-0

By BILL BONI

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—The Navy football team turned a better-than-fair season into something extra special Saturday afternoon by beating the Army, 14-0, before a crowd that filled not quite all of the 102,000 seats in Municipal Stadium.

It was, finally, a victory over Army, and that is enough in itself. Now the Middies can forget about those defeats by Penn and Notre Dame and that scoreless tie with Columbia.

Navy's linesmen were too sturdy and its backs too many. Though the Middies lost sophomore star Bill Busik of Pasadena, Calif., on a first half injury and also saw Wes Gebert of Everett, Wash., go limping to the sidelines, they had others by the hatful.

Busik ran Army's first punt from his 35 to the Cadet 42 and Navy was on its way. Sherwood Werner plunged for two and Busik, in three tries, made a first down by inches. Then Navy scored on seven plays, Busik contributing 12 on a running pass to Malcolm, and plunging for the final inches.

Navy made two more threats that period, and turned back three by Army in the second quarter. Early in the third the Middies marched from their 40 to the Cadet 19, Bob Leonard, Gainesville, Tex., who place kicked a field goal and extra point last year and had booted the extra point on to Busik's tally, came in to try a placement from the 28. It was wide, and Army got the ball. But Navy went 53 yards in six plays and a 5-yard penalty on the Cadets the next time they got possession.

Howie Clark carried on three of the five running plays, contributing the day's longest rushing gain by cracking the Army right side and breaking into the clear for 28 yards and climaxed the march by throwing a 9-yard touchdown pass on the run to Malcolm.

Vito Vitucci kicked the extra point from placement.

Oklahoma Loses To Santa Clara

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—Santa Clara's Broncos found a scoring punch through the air lanes Saturday and whipped a fighting University of Oklahoma team 33 to 13.

Orv Mathews, brilliant Oklahoma halfback, did all of Oklahoma's scoring in the first period.

Before the 20,000 customers had settled in their seats, he ran the opening kick-off back 88 yards to a touchdown, and a short time later grabbed a pass and ran half way down the field to the goal.

But when Coach L. T. "Buck" Shaw put the first string Broncos in, things began to happen.

Santa Clara, defeated only once this season (7-6 by unbeaten Stanford), tied the game with 13 points in the second quarter, added six in the third and 14 more in the final period.

Santa Clara, which rolled up 299 yards by forward passing, overcame the 13-point first period deficit in impressive fashion.

Methodists To Meet College Of Pacific

DALLAS—(AP)—Jimmy Stewart, athletic director for Southern Methodist University, said Saturday night the Methodists would meet the College of Pacific in a football game at the Tyler, Tex., Rose Festival next October 11.

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Stanford Given Post As West's Rose Bowl Team

Vote Is Taken After Saturday Victory

CORVALLIS, Ore.—(AP)—Stanford University, undefeated and untied champion of the Pacific Coast Conference, has been officially selected as the conference's Rose Bowl football representative, Professor C. V. Ruzek, conference president, announced Saturday.

The Oregon State College professor said the exact vote, which came a few hours after Stanford's 13 to 7 victory over its final conference hurdle, California, could not be made public. It was believed to be unanimous, however.

Georgia Nips Tech

ATHENS, Ga.—(AP)—Georgia's Bulldogs shaded Georgia Tech's Yellow Jackets in their traditional dogfight, 21 to 19, Saturday before a homecoming crowd of 30,000.

It was Georgia's first triumph over Georgia Tech since 1936.

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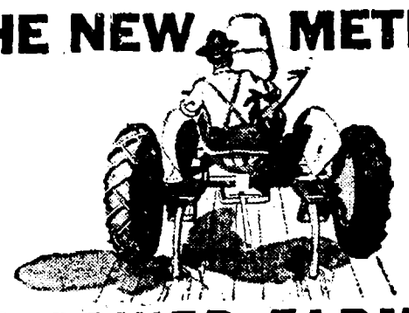

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S.M.U. Mustangs Wallop Horned Frogs 16 To 0

By FELIX R. McKNIGHT

DALLAS, Tex.—(AP)—Once-beaten Southern Methodist stoked its furnace after a listless start and battered down Texas Christian, 16-0, before 15,000 here Saturday.

Never in danger, but unable to get its own offense adjusted for two periods, the Methodists finally ground out a triumph that kept alive hopes for a Southwest Conference tie with the Texas Aggies and a possible appearance in the Cotton Bowl.

Spotted with injuries, its great Kyle Gillespie unable to start a continuing aerial attack, Texas Christian moved to the Methodist 27 on its deepest charge.

Southern Methodist toyed with early touchdowns, but finally had to be content with a half-time lead of 3-0 manufactured on sophomore Wayne (Bo) Campbell's field goal, booted from the 16 yard line into a churning wind.

No longer than the first play of the third period did they wait to make victory secure.

Connie Sparks, TCU end, bobbled the kickoff and guard Eddie Bianchi recovered on the Christian 28.

Fullback Preston Johnston, a running ripper, tossed in runs of seven and 17 yards to the four and Johnny Clement plunged the touchdown. Johnston kicked the point.

Then, late in the fourth period, the surging Methodist line accounted for the second touchdown. Tackle Lynn Bostick blew in on Gillespie's attempted pass, batted it into the air and Bob Maddox recovered on the Christian 32.

Red-haired Clint McClain, a powerful tackle thruster who had been knifing the Christian wall all day, teamed with Cliff Hagerman to go to the eight and then took up the touchdown chore himself, circling left end. Johnston's conversion attempt was wide.

Starting lineups:

T.C.U.	Pos.	S.M.U.
C. Sparks	LE	Simpson
Hampton	LT	Harris
Harter	LG	Ramsey
Alexander	C	Pope
Sherrod	RG	Bianchi
Adams	RT	Pasqua
Roach	RE	Tunnell
Gillespie	QB	Mullenweg
N. Sparks	LH	Clement
Ware	RH	Young
Kring	FB	Johnston

Score by periods:

Texas Christian	0	0	0	0	—0
Southern Methodist	0	3	7	6	—16

Southern Methodist scoring: touchdowns, Clement, McClain (sub for Johnston); point from try after touchdown, Johnston (placement); goal from the field, Campbell (sub for Johnston) (placement).

Valley Grid Statistics

FULL SEASON STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	Pts.	Opp.	Pct.
Harlingen	9	1	0	196	52	.900
McAllen	7	2	0	201	44	.777
Mission	7	3	0	229	75	.700
Lyford	6	3	0	207	92	.667
Edinburg	5	3	0	110	44	.625
Brownsville	5	3	0	97	64	.625
Mercedes	6	4	0	100	108	.600
Rio Hondo	4	3	1	93	91	.562
Donna	4	6	0	92	168	.400
Raymondville	4	6	0	110	116	.400
Weslaco	3	7	0	65	130	.300
Edcouch-Elsa	2	7	1	56	225	.250
P-SJ-A	2	8	0	52	142	.200
San Benito	0	7	1	24	211	.062

FINAL DISTRICT 16-A STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pts.	Opp.	Pct.
Mission	6	0	189	17	1.000
Mercedes	5	1	64	45	.833
Donna	4	2	71	54	.667
Weslaco	2	4	27	77	.333
Raymondville	2	4	25	76	.333
P-SJ-A	1	5	32	60	.167
La Feria	1	5	12	90	.167

RESULTS LAST WEEK

Harlingen 6 at Corpus Christi 33 (16-AA title game)
Lyford 39 vs Falfurrias 12 at Raymondville (36-B title)
Weslaco 7 at Raymondville 6 (A)
Donna 6 at Mercedes 13 (A)
Mission 7 at Pharr-San Juan-Alamo 0 (A)

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Alice at Mission (bi-district Class A) DNP
Lyford vs Ingleside (bi-district Class B) DNP

LEADING SCORERS

Player	TD	EP	FG	TP
Wilson (Lyford)	13	1	0	79
Witherspoon (Harlingen)	13	0	0	78
Dalton (Mercedes)	12	4	0	76
Ward (Mission)	10	10	1	73
Roberts (McAllen)	11	0	0	66
Moore (Mission)	11	0	0	66
Ross (Lyford)	9	7	0	61
Levermann (McAllen)	7	5	0	47
Landry (Mission)	7	4	0	46
Wade (Edcouch-Elsa)	7	1	0	43
Livingston (Harlingen)	4	13	0	37
Brotzman (Rio Hondo)	6	1	0	37
Callaway (Raymondville)	6	0	0	36
Ply (Rio Hondo)	5	3	0	33
Rose (Harlingen)	5	1	0	31
Avila (Donna)	5	0	0	30
Stevens (Weslaco)	5	0	0	30

Shot Put Is First In Maryland Race

BOWIE, Md.—(AP)—A crowd of 15,000 saw Mrs. Marie Evans' Shot Put, marathon champion of the year, score an easy victory in the Bryan and O'Hara Memorial Handicap Saturday as the major eastern racing season closed for the winter.

The hero of the New York and Exterminator handicaps took the $7,875 winner's share and a trophy by three full lengths, running the mile and three-sixteenths over a dull track in 2:00 2-5 to pay $12.80 in the mutels.

Underdog Oregon Is Winner Over Staters

CORVALLIS, Ore.—(AP)—An underdog University of Oregon football team unleashed a smashing ground assault here Saturday to grind its traditional foe, Oregon State, into submission 20 to 0.

Oregon had been defeated four straight years by Oregon State.

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Boston College vs. Tennessee In Sugar Bowl

New Orleans Group Grabs Choice Clubs

Stanford Has Rose Bowl And No Foe

By MORTIMER KREEGER

NEW ORLEANS —(AP)— Before even one of the Rose Bowl participants was officially decided, Sugar Bowl authorities announced Saturday they had landed the only available unbeaten, untied football teams in the country—Boston College and Tennessee—for their New Year's Day game.

Little Surprise

The announcement caused little surprise. Ever since Boston College romped over Tulane 27-7 here last September, before the eyes of most of the men who choose the Sugar Bowl teams, it had been conceded the Eagles were welcome to fly back here January 1 if they should go through their season undefeated.

This they did, although they gained only a narrow 7-0 victory over a supposedl much inferior Holy Cross team Saturday.

Tennessee had been considered the most probable opponent, although since Texas U. upset the Rose-Bowl bound Texas Aggies last Thursday many believed the Volunteers would now go to the Rose Bowl and Nebraska would be the Sugar Bowl choice.

Stanford Tops Calif.

The teams were announced at 5 p.m., in the offices of the New Orleans Mid-Winter Sports Association while Stanford successfully was battling California for undisputed possession of the Pacific Coast Conference title, which carries automatic entrance to the Rose Bowl and the right to invite an opponent.

Word of Tennessee's 20-0 victory over Vanderbilt had been received only a half hour before.

Sugar Bowl Sold Out

The Sugar Bowl's 73,000 seats have been sold out for several days, except for a few "combination tickets" to all sports events on the mid-winter calendar and several thousand reserved for disposal by the participating teams.

Tennessee thus becomes the first team ever to go to three bowls, which it does on successive years. In 1939 it beat Oklahoma in the Orange Bowl and this year lost to Southern California in the Rose Bowl.

Boston College lost to Clemson in the Dallas Cotton Bowl 3-6 last January 1.

Baseball Minors In Annual Meet

NEW YORK — (AP) — Baseball's elete will start gathering in Atlanta this week-end for the annual minor league meetings and if what the boys have been saying is true, a lot of things ought to start happening right away. . . . There won't be any legislative fireworks this year to match the 1939 sessions at Cincinnati, when they tried to scalp foxy old Judge Landis, but more trading is in prospect. . . . All the major league clubs will be represented and most of the managers will be there except Joe McCarthy. . . He and Prexy Ed Barrow are saving their bunions for the major league powwowing at Chicago the following week.

The Brooklyn Dodgers have been brewing a deal with the St. Louis Cardinals that will involve catchers Mickey Owen, Gus Mancuso, Cash and other players. . . . Larry MacPhail already has left New York, intending to be first on the scene. . . . Washington wants to get hold of a couple of infielders and Clark Griffith probably will grab somebody. . . . He also wants an outfielder and might take Ben Chapman off Roger Peckinpaugh's hands at Cleveland. . . . The Chicago Cubs also are almost certain to do some swapping. The Red Sox would like to get catcher Frank Hayes of the A's. . . . Some of the other clubs have been waiting patiently for the finish of football to announce some matters of moment.

While the majors doubtless will grab most of the publicity, it is the minors' meeting and they have a lot of affairs to attend, especially naming of managers. . . . George Weiss is expected to decide on the Kansas City pilot while there. . . . Three International League jobs are open and Gabby Hartnett, late of the cubs, is seeking employment.

Hardin-Simmons Gets 13th Win

BROWNWOOD— (AP) —Led by a pass-flipping seat back, 150-pound L. B. Russell, the Hardin-Simmons University Cowboys slashed a 27-7 victory here Saturday over the Yellow Jackets of Howard Payne—a 13th straight win for the Bowl-minded Cowboys.

Russell passed to End H. C. Burrus for two of the scores, flipped a third to End D. A. Parker, and plunged through for the fourth. He also held the ball while Murray Evans kicked three extra points.

The Yellow Jackets kept the whitewash sign away by a spectacular 53-yard pass from Tommy Samuels to Roland Warren, good for a touchdown in the third quarter.

For the first time in a 30-game series with Howard Payne, the Cowboys made it three wins in a row. Saturday's victory squares the series at 13 wins for each team and four ties. It was the ninth victory this season for Hardin-Simmons.

Santa Clara 33, Oklahoma 13
Southern Calif 28, Univ Calif at Los Angeles 12

WAKE FOREST'S CRACK GRIDDER . . . . . by Phil Berube

Major Portion Of Saturday Games Follow Form Closely

By HUGH S. FULLERTON, JR.

NEW YORK—(AP)—For one of the few times this season, major football games went strictly according to form Saturday—even to the classic Army-Navy game, considered about the toughest of them all to predict.

Navy, which had looked like the better of the two all season, won 14-0 before 102,000 fans at Philadelphia, mainly on the strength of its fine line and the running of Bill Busk and Howie Clark.

Boston College, Tennessee and Stanford all came through to complete their regular seasons unbeaten and untied and to turn toward New Year's Day "Bowl" games. Mississippi State, tied once but undefeated, hit the same trail along with Nebraska and Fordham, once beaten but so highly regarded that it immediately received and accepted an invitation to play an unnamed opponent in the Dallas Cotton Bowl.

The Dallas group and the New Orleans Sugar Bowl were first under the wire with their invitations, announcing them while Stanford was only halfway through the task of beating California 13-7 to clinch beyond argument its right to play in the Rose Bowl on New Year's Day. Tennessee and Boston College snapped up the Sugar Bowl bids as soon as they were offered. Mississippi State, 13-0 conqueror of Alabama, and Nebraska, which whipped Kansas State 20-0 to clinch the Big Six title, are considered the most likely candidates for the Orange Bowl game at Miami.

Meeting just the kind of strenuous opposition they expected from traditional rivals, and with bad weather to make it even harder for some of them, Tennessee whipped Vanderbilt 20-0 through the great running of Johnny Butler and Buist Warren over a rain-drenched gridiron. Boston College's Eagles got just the "breaks" they needed to conquer Holy Cross 7-0, scoring in the final period after recovering a fumble on the five-yard line.

Stanford again thrilled 80,000 spectators by staging two well-executed scoring drives in the first half and then by holding California for four downs on the one-yard line before finally yielding a touchdown late in the final quarter.

Fordham, upset in midseason by St. Mary's of California, clinched its Cotton Bowl invitation by whipping New York University with a fine exhibition of power. The Rams' opponent probably will be chosen Monday by Southwest Conference faculty members. In the running are the once-defeated Texas Aggies, who may yet be chosen for the Rose Bowl, and Rice and Southern Methodist, whose victories Saturday preserved their chances to tie the Aggies for the conference crown. S.M.U. defeated Texas Christian 16-0 and Rice turned back Baylor 21-12. They meet next week.

The nearest things to major upsets on the program were New Mexico's 19-14 victory over Texas Tech, which dropped the losers from the unbeaten class and Auburn's 20-7 conquest of Florida in a game marked by 16 fumbles. Florida had been a slight favorite on the basis of a couple of recent upset victories.

Georgia outscored Georgia Tech, 21-19, Duke outfought Pittsburgh 12-7, Louisiana State beat Tulane 14-0 and Maryland and Washington and Lee played a 7-7 tie in other southern scraps. Duquesne remained among the eastern leaders with a 14-7 conquest of Carnegie Tech while down in the Southwest Hardin-Simmons remained unbeaten and untied with a 27-7 victory over Little Howard Payne.

Washington, coming from behind with 27 points in the last quarter, beat Washington State 33-9 to take second place in the Pacific Coast Conference. Oregon whipped Oregon State 20-0 and Southern California hung another beating on U.C.L.A., 28-12. Santa Clara's Broncos, leaders of the coast "Independent" group, whipped Oklahoma 33-13.

Grid Results

East
Boston College 7, Holy Cross 0
Duquesne 14, Carnegie Tech 7
Fordham 26, New York U. 0
Navy 14, Army 0

South
Mississippi State 13, Alabama 0
Auburn 20, Florida 7
Georgia 21, Georgia Tech 19
Louisiana State 14, Tulane 0
Tennessee 20, Vanderbilt 0
Duke 12, Pittsburgh 7
Miles Memorial 26, Rust 12
Davidson 20, The Citadel 6
Washington and Lee 7, Maryland 7

Midwest
Nebraska 20, Kansas State 6
Springfield (Mo) Tchers 51, Hastings (Neb) Tchrs 6
St. Loius 3, Washington (Mo) 0

Southwest
Southern Methodist 16, Texas Christian 0
Rice 21, Baylor 12
New Mexico 19, Texas Tech 14
Hardin - Simmons 27, Howard Payne 7
Texas Mines 40, New Mexico Aggies 26

Rocky Mountain
Occidental 25, Colorado College 6

Far West
Stanford 13, California 7
Washington 33, Washington State 9
Oregon 20, Oregon State 0
Arizona 17, Marquette 14

Vols Defeat Vandy To Win League Title

Victory Brings Bid To Sugar Bowl

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — (AP) — The pitfalls of tradition, mud and rain proved no barrier Saturday for Tennessee's mighty Volunteers who crashed through Vanderbilt, 20 to 0, to complete their third successive perfect season and shut the lid on an invitation for a post-season game in the New Orleans Sugar Bowl.

Some 21,000 rain-drenched spectators saw the Vols crush their most ancient foe and win undisputed championship of the Southeastern Conference.

The two teams sparred for an opening that never came in the first period, but midway in the second, little Johnny Butler, the Vols' great scat back, led a 50-yard touchdown-producing march.

Butler scampered 18 yards but had 15 of them nullified by a holding penalty. Undaunted, he raced down the sidelines 33 yards to the Vanderbilt 14 and Bob Foxx swept over on a seven-yard reverse. Fred Newman added the point.

The game was a fitting climax for the 13 Tennessee seniors who have walked off the field only once in 32 games a beaten team; and that was last New Year's Day when they were trampled by Southern California in the Rose Bowl, 14 to 0.

Mississippi State Takes Orange Bowl?

MIAMI, Fla.—(AP)—Orange Bowl Schedule Chairman Will M. Preston told the Miami Herald Saturday night by telephone from Tuscaloosa, Ala., that Mississippi State had accepted an invitation to play in the New Year's Day football game here.

ARIZONA POLOISTS WIN

TUCSON, Ariz.—(AP)—University of Arizona poloists rode roughshod over the Seventh Cavalry of Fort Bliss, Texas, 11 to 2, here Saturday in the opener of a two-game series.

Fordham-Aggie Clash Said Probable Cotton Bowl Menu

DALLAS —(AP)— Powerful Fordham University, beaten once in a shocking upset earlier in the season, Saturday night accepted an invitation to play a New Year's Day game in the Cotton Bowl against the Southwest Conference representative.

President Dan D. Rogers of the Cotton Bowl Athletic Association announced shortly after Fordham's 26-0 rout of New York University that the Rams had agreed to the game.

The Southwest team will be selected by a telegraphic vote of the faculty members of the Southwest Conference next Monday, Rogers said, with only Texas A. and M., Rice Institute and Southern Methodist eligible.

It was believed fairly certain that the Aggies, mighty rulers of the Southwest for two seasons and victims of a terrific upset from Texas University, 7-0, only two days ago, would be the Fordham opposition.

However, both Southern Methodist and Rice are still in the conference running and will meet Saturday at Houston.

As it now stands, the Texas Aggies are assured of at least a tie for the conference crown and the winner of the SMU-Rice game can share the title with them. A Rice-SMU standoff would give the Aggies undisputed possession of the title—the first time in history that a conference team would have won the flag two years running.

Fordham has won seven and lost one this season, St. Mary's Galloping Gaels, traditional rival from the Pacific Coast, coming east to give them a 9-6 defeat on a field goal in the closing minutes of play.

The Rams knocked off Purdue, 13-7; North Carolina, 14-0; Arkansas, 27-7; Tulane, 20-7; Pittsburgh, 24-12; West Virginia, 20-7; and New York University, 26-0.

Nineteen straight victories, including a Sugar Bowl victory over Tulane, were behind the Aggies when they fell before their 46-year-old traditional rival, Texas, in the greatest upset of the nation this week.

The Aggies had defeated UCLA, 7-0; Southern Methodist, 19-7; Rice, 25-0; Baylor, 14-7; Texas Christian, 21-7; Arkansas, 17-0; Tulsa, 41-6, and Texas A. and I., 26-0.

The Nazis' Gestapo is merely a word coined from the first syllables of its three-word official title—the Geheime Staats Politize.

New Mexico Tops Tech Red Raiders

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M.—(AP)—A ball-hawking New Mexico University football team toppled Texas Tech's Red Raiders from undefeated ranking here Saturday, grabbing at every break for a 19 to 14 victory.

Out-maneuvering their highly-rated foes at every turn, the alert Lobos struck like lightning for a pair of touchdowns in the opening period and jammed through another in the third; then halted an all-out Raider offensive which netted a threatening 14 tallies in the final quarter.

The late-maturing New Mexico team, winning for their first time in six years of competition against the Raiders, ended an otherwise mediocre season in a flash of brilliance. Saturday's victory, coupled with last Saturday's upset of Arizona, put the skids under two strong bowl possibilities.

Had Arizona won last week, it would have been champion of the Border Conference, and host team in the El Paso Sun Bowl.

Tech, previously tied only by Oklahoma Aggies and victor over such elevens as Brigham Young, Wake Forest, Centenary and Marquette, had been mentioned for the Dallas Cotton Bowl and several other post-season contests.

Scotch Tourney Set For Sunday

HARLINGEN — The first Scotch tournament of the season will be held at the Harlingen municipal course, unday, December 8.

Play will start at 1:00 p.m. and all Valley golfers are invited to enter. Individual foursomes may be made up by the players themselves or an effort will be made to arrange for partners for all individual entrants.

Following the tournament a supper will be served. Those planning to enter are requested to do so as early as possible.

Stanford's Indians Take 13-7 Win Over California

By RUSSELL NEWLAND

BERKELEY, Calif.—(AP)—Cleated football warriors of Stanford carved the final chapter of the most gripping gridiron story in Far Western history Saturday with a hard fought 13 to 7 win over the University of California.

It was a story of a comeback from a 1939 season that saw Stanford finish last in the Pacific Coast Conference ra to a 1940 wind-up that bagged the title and battered down the Rose Bowl doors.

Twe touchdown drives in the second period posted the points that brought Stanford undisputed leadership in the conference and the nomination to the New Year's Day classic at Pasadena.

The Indians finished as the only major college team in the Far West with neither defeat nor tie.

California opened the game without the services of its great left tackle, Bob Reinhard, hospitalized Friday night with influenza.

On the second play after the kickoff, California's first string right halfback, Jim Jirkovich, went out of action from a kick in the head.

After a California drive midway of the opening period, which netted two first downs, Stanford cut loose from its own 42 it advanced to California's one yard line as they changed sides for the second quarter. Kmetovic went over for the score.

A short time later, Stanford, stopped on the California 32 yard line, failed on a field goal try.

The Indians snatched at a break to take the ball on California's 35. A bad pass from center on an attempted punt cost the Bears 19 yards and loss of the ball on downs.

From that point quarterback Frank Albert and his unstoppable mates worked the ball to the two yard marker, from where Gallarneau cracked left guard for the touchdown. Albert, successful on the first placekick try for the extra point, failed this time.

When the cause appeared hopelessly lost, a complete smearing in the records, the Bears came to life in stunning fashion and scored in the last minute and half of play.

With left half Orv Hatcher and fullback Jack McQuary alternating in lugging the leather, they pounded nearly three quarters the length of the field to end up with a touchdown. McQuary went over in a nine yard tackle dent. He also kicked the extra point.

Stanford chalked up 12 first downs to 11 for California, had 188 yards net from scrimmage compared to 176 for the Bears and 34 yards by passes to none for its rival.

Fordham's Rams Defeat NYU And Grab Bowl Game

Favorite Hex Ground Into Stadium Mud

NEW YORK —(AP)— Even Fordham's favorite jinx couldn't keep the Rams from leaping into the football bowl Saturday.

Boasting as powerful a set of backs, led by stocky Steve Filipowicz, as they have ever enjoyed, the footballers from Rose Hill mopped up the Lankee Stadium's muddy gridiron with their old neighborhood rival, New York University, 26 to 0, and immediately accepted a bid to the Cotton Bowl game at Dallas on New Year's Day.

Four years ago, New York's Violets upset the Rams and kicked them right out of the Rose Bowl. Saturday, the Violets were wilted and the Rams showed both N.Y.U. and 35,000 customers they had both barrels loaded.

The Rams did about as they pleased all afternoon. Not only did they score four touchdowns, but they crossed the wilting Violet goal line on three other occasions only to have the "microscopic" eye of Referee E. H. Heintz detect a back ir motion illegally and call the scoring play back.

Although "Lightning Len" Eshmont and Jerry Bluemenstock were the harder runners in Fordham's crack backfield quartet Saturday, Filipowicz did everything, and did it so well sports writers voted him the "most valuable" man in the election which annually follows the get-together of Pa Knickerbocker's football sons.

Sophomore Steve scored three of the Fordham touchdowns and passed for a fourth. Built close to the ground and about as solid as a cement post, he was the big man of the afternoon.

This was the 22nd renewal of the series, and it is doubtful if ever before one team so outclassed the other in this get-together. Fordham piled up 15 first downs to seven and 318 yards rushing to 35.

Boston College Tops Holy Cross

BOSTON—(AP)—A series of lucky breaks came to the rescue of a top-heavy favorite Boston College football team Saturday and enabled it to maintain its undefeated record and Sugar Bowl game hopes by nosing out a courageous Holy Cross eleven, 7-0, before a 38,000 crowd at Fenway Park.

Knocked back on their tail-feathers by the Crusaders' opening charge, the Eagles stumbled and stalled and never did get out of their own territory until the final period, when the climaxing break, sub end Don Currivan's recovery of Joe Osmanki's fumble, gave them the ball on Holy Cross' five-yard line.

Dolph Kissell, the Eagles' spare line-bucker, took two slams through the tired and discouraged Holy Cross forwards before scoring from the two-yard line, and Frank Mazzicki converted the seventh point.

MOVE TO VALLEY

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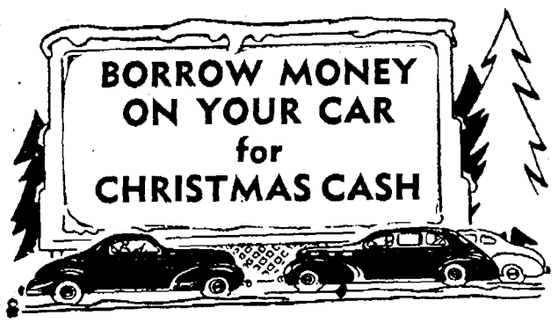

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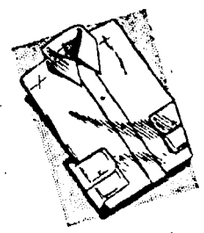

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Warplanes Fly Against London

100 GERMAN PLANES STAB AT CAPITAL

Limping Destroyer Bags Attacker

By The Associated Press

LONDON—(Sunday)—Nazi warplanes flew against London early today for the second time since nightfall while other German raiders were reported driven from a southwest town (presumably Southampton) "time after time" by an intense anti-aircraft barrage.

Gunfire was heard in the London area when the alarm sounded after midnight but the "all clear" was given shortly afterward.

British informants insisted no bombs were dropped in the raids last night on the southwest town, contradicting German radio claims.

The night raid on the town followed three daylight attacks Saturday and was the eleventh in the last three days.

(As apparent calm came to London Saturday night, a German broadcast heard in New York, said German bombing squadrons roared over Southampton dropping thousands of bombs that started eight big fires to guide subsequent raiders.)

During Saturday afternoon, at least three German planes were shot down, as anti-aircraft guns opened fire and fast Hurricanes and Spitfires rose to turn back more than 100 planes trying to break through London's defense.

The British acknowledged the loss of two planes, whose pilots they said were saved.

The ministry of home security communique said some bombs were dropped Saturday in London's residential areas, but "no great damage" was caused.

The air ministry news service announced three German bombers were shot down, and one damaged when they attacked the torpedoed destroyer Javelin as it limped to port following Thursday's clash with light German naval forces. The three German destroyers involved were reported "repeatedly hit" by British guns.

British airmen claimed to have left a trail of fires in the shipyards of Bremen and in Cologne, on the Rhine, during Friday night's raids. Thursday night they attacked Italian Brindisi, where 26,000 pounds of bombs were said to have been dropped.

Head For Puerto Rico

VOLUNTEERS FROM BROWNSVILLE

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BROWNSVILLE — The three young Brownsville men shown above were scheduled to leave here Saturday night by train for Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, from where they will go to Puerto Rico as volunteers in the United States army air corps.

They will be sent to Louisiana prior to making the trip to Puerto Rico, they said. The youths said they will train in Puerto Rico as mechanics, radio operators and fliers.

Left to right: D. D. Zarate, Albert Champion and Lupe Luna. Zarate and Luna have had previous military training.

They volunteered at local U. S. army recruiting station, which has issued a call for men with high school educations to go to Puerto Rico.

Two other volunteers, Ernest Champion, a cousin of the youth above, and Ricardo Rodriguez, left for Fort Sam Houston Friday night by train.

Have A Little Armadillo At Home? Ducks, Pigs, Chicks All Are Eligible For Weslaco Birthday Pet Parade

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WESLACO—Do you have a little armadillo in your home?

Or perhaps a piggy-wiggy.

Or a whole crate of chickens you and the kiddies love? Or a couple of quack-quacks?

Or we could go on indefinitely, naming possible "pets," any one of which would be eligible for Weslaco's Pet and Doll Buggy Parade which is going to be the biggest and best ever held, judging from the entries already received from all over the Valley and the enthusiasm evidenced.

There is only one "must" in this parade, according to Mrs. J. S. McManus, director of this division of Weslaco's 21st Anniversary celebration. That one rule is that the child entering the parade with his or her doll or pet must not be over ten years of age.

Pets can be dressed if so desired, and dolls can also be specially dressed for the parade if the owners wish them that way, according to Mrs. McManus who also states that one entry can consist of two persons such as a little brother and sister combination. "Buggies may or may not be decorated," she said, adding that "anything goes" in the way of costumes for the children.

P-TA Slates Meeting

HARLINGEN—The James Bowie Parent - Teacher Association will meet at 3:15 p.m. Tuesday, it was stated Saturday.

100 RESCUED FROM SABINE

Outbreak Of Disease Feared In Area

HEMPHILL—(AP)—Boatmen Saturday removed more than 100 Negroes who were trapped on knolls surrounded by Sabine river flood waters in a strip of bottomland known as Robinson's bend.

CCC workers and volunteers sought others Saturday night. No loss of life was reported.

Two of the volunteers, O. H. Smith and V. Lynch, narrowly escaped death when their boat overturned.

Some livestock was rescued but hundreds of head drowned.

The Negroes were housed in a few cabins. There was one case of typhoid fever, and health authorities ordered serum to complete vaccinations. An outbreak of influenza or pneumonia was feared.

Talent Search

School Of The Air Seeks Musicians

KINGSVILLE—The Texas School of the Air is conducting a search for musical talent in the counties of this district, and auditions will be held at the high school auditorium at 10 a.m. on the 16th of December, 1940.

Following the selection of eligibles in the 24 districts of the state, this talent will be presented in a series of six broadcasts over Texas radio networks. These programs will be under the direction of Miss Nell Parmley, director of music, state department of education.

This "search for talent" is being conducted in all grades of the public schools of Texas, and complete details of this program can be found in the bulletin, "The Texas School of the Air," which is now available, and will be sent to any school desiring one.

Included in the Kingsville district are the following counties: Nueces, San Patricio, Jim Wells, Kleberg, Jim Hogg, Webb, Brooks, Zapata, Starr, Hidalgo Cameron Duval Kennedy, and Willacy.

A Christmas party fo rthe tourists auditions may be obtained from E. E. Chamness, deputy state superintendent, Kingsville, or Miss Nell Parmley, director of music, state department of education, Austin, Texas.

San Benito's Dads To Meet On Monday

SAN BENITO—Members of the Dads club will meet at 7:30 p. m. Monday at the high school, announced Sam Griffin, president, Saturday. A feature of the meeting will be the presentation of special dances such as "Put Your Little Foot" by students of Miss Essie Roots, physical education director.

Interpreting the War News

Dictator 'New Order' In Europe Gets Supreme Test This Winter; Most Tragic Christmas Ever Predicted; Tottering Italian Morale Is Seen

Spirit Of English Still Seems To Be Firm

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON

The cold gloom of Europe's second war winter is closing in amid multiplying signs that it may see the Nazi-Fascist "new-order" fellowship put to a supreme and perhaps decisive test.

Imponderable factors preclude even a guess as to where or how the war will end. Among the horsemen of horror loosed on Europe by the war to make this probably the most tragic Christmas season the old world has ever known are starvation and freezing cold for tens of millions of non-combatants.

There are discernable, however, certain symptomatic items indicating that there may be graver concern over the winter outlook in Axis Europe than in London. They give the lie to the Nazi-Fascist assumption that mankind in the mass can be dragooned by force alone into a new way of life.

Italy Weak Link

Intimations of tottering national morale point now toward Italy, not England. No other reasonable explanation of the Italian army's fiasco in Greece has been offered.

Tragic blundering by Italian strategists and army staffs alone cannot account for Greece's rout of her attackers against great odds of numbers and modern battle gear.

It is now revealed by Washington government reports on Italy's economic plight that the British blockade has been grinding for months at Italian morale. Sharply rationed food and skyrocketing prices are noted. That is all Italy has thus far gleaned from Mussolini's great adventure at war in Ethiopia, in Spain and Greece.

England Still Strong

By contrast, in bomb-tortured England there is no hint of declining morale. Bright visions of delivering a finishing stroke at Italy are reflected in London war news. The essential pillars of the Hitler-conceived "new order" structure for continental Europe are lacking still. Spain in the west and Bulgaria in the east are still standing aloof.

An upsurge of French public reaction has thwarted the Hitler-Laval hopes for an effective political union between Berlin and Vichy. Intimations of popular "Free French" demonstrations in both German-occupied and unoccupied France leak through censorships.

In Nazi-conquered Norway, Holland and Belgium the same story is told day by day.

Renewed Hopes

All told, Britain enters the winter season thrilling with renewed hope that Christmas, despite its war tragedies, will be a season of good cheer if not peace in England.

This official picture, British sources say, shows the inner harbor at the Italian naval base at Taranto as it appeared on a follow-up reconnaissance flight after British air raid on night of Nov. 11-12. British source says two damaged cruisers of the Trento class and one other smoking vessel surrounded by large quantities of fuel oil can be seen, together with other Italian warships.

Churchill Is Given Spitfires By Dutch

LONDON—(AP)—Prime Minister Winston Churchill celebrated his 66th birthday Saturday and received a gift from residents of the Netherlands East Indies of money to purchase seven Spitfires for Britain's defense.

ASSESSOR FINDS COW THAT KICKS RATES CLASS 'B'

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PHOENIX, Ariz.—(AP)—Stumped by a notation "class B milch cow," the chairman of the Arizona tax assessors' association asked for help.

W. O. Ruggles, Mohave county assessor, broke the puzzled silence.

"That's a cow that kicks."

Texas Collegian Is Journalism Winner

PITTSBURGH—(AP)—The grand council of Pi Delta Epsilon, national collegiate journalism fraternity, declared William Engel of the Penn State Collegian and Dwight Pelkin of the University of Wisconsin Daily Cardinal, respective winners of its editorial and news writing contests.

Second place in the editorial contest went to Boyd Sinclair of the Daily Texan, University of Texas.

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Society

Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Yates of Harlingen announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Betty, photo above, to Finis Easterling, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Easterling of Clanton, Ala. Nuptials for the couple will be solemnized in December at the new St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Harlingen.

Announcement of the engagement and coming marriage of Miss Lucille Chandler, pictured at top, right, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Chandler of Weslaco, and Jack Tebbe of Craig, Colo., son of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Tebbe of Harlingen, was made Friday evening at a smart dinner given by Mrs. Chandler at the Casa de Palmas in McAllen. Marriage of the well-known couple will be one of the outstanding events of the holiday season.

Mrs. Theo David Hazelwood of Brownsville, pictured left above, was before her marriage Thranksgiving morning, Miss Mildred Ormesher. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David L. Ormesher of Harlingen. Mr. Hazelwood is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Hazelwood of Houston. After a brief wedding trip to Saltillo, Mexico, the couple will establish a home in Brownsville.

Miss Sarah Chidlow, pictured at top left, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Chidlow of McAllen, has chosen her parent's wedding anniversary, January first, as the date for her marriage to Chester Smith Davis of Washington, D. C., son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester C. Davis of the same city. The wedding, the holiday season's most brilliant affair for McAllen, will be solemnized at 8 p.m. at Trinity Episcopal Church, Pharr. The ceremony will be performed by Bishop William M. Green of Mississippi, who also officiated at Miss Chidlow's parents wedding in Meridian, Mississippi. Rev. W. W. Stewart, rector of the Pharr church, will assist. Following the ceremony there will be a reception at the bride-elect's parent's home. Mr. Chester C. Davis, father of the groom-to-be, is the agricultural member of the National Defense Advisory Commission.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Anderson of La Feria have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their eldest daughter, Gwendolyn Jeanette, pictured right above, to Osborn M. Little of Weslaco, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Little of Putnam, Texas. The ceremony will take place December 22 at five o'clock in the First Presbyterian Church in La Feria. Miss Anderson received her B.S. degree from the University of South Dakota and Mr. Little is a graduate of Howard Payne College at Brownwood.

(All Photos except that of Miss Chidlow, by Holbrook's Studio)

Arrangement Of Flowers Study Topic

HARLINGEN—Practical information on Flower Arrangement will be given by Mrs. Wm. L. Trammell as the program feature for the regular meeting of the Flower Lovers Club Monday at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. H. M. Dunaway, 809 E. Buchanan.

Mrs. Trammell studied flower arrangement under Dr. Gregory Conway while in California and also attended his lectures in Harlingen last fall.

A report will be made on the progress of extensive beautification work being carried out by the club in the Travis Park. Already quantities of shrubs and flowers are growing in excellent condition and the newly sodded lawn, benefited by rains, is adding to the attractive scene.

Additional donations of carpet grass are needed.

Week Of Prayer Services Slated

RAYMONDVILLE—The Mission Study Class of the Baptist Church met on Monday at the church. Mrs. W. M. Bush presented the review of "Modern Macedonia" by Mrs. Trutza.

Beginning the first week in December, the Baptist women will observe their Week of Prayer. There will be services each morning at 10 o'clock on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. On Wednesday evening at 7:30 th Men's Brotherhood will hold their service at the church.

Friday there will be an all day meeting of the women and on Friday evening the young people will have their service at 7:30.

Hosts For Dinner

PHARR—Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hogan entertained with a delightful barbecue supper at their home Friday evening, honoring George Bertine of New York City, who is a guest of friends in the Valley.

Those enjoying the gracious hospitality were Misses Daisy Ellen, Mary Virginia, and Frances Polk, Margaret Hogan, of Pharr, John and Duke Larson and Morris Smith of McAllen; the honored guest and hosts, George Bertine of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hogan of Pharr.

Cultura Club Holds Program On Canada

LA FERIA—"The Economic Aspects of Canada" was the topic for the program presented this week at the meeting of the Cultura Club held at the home of Mrs. R. R. Stephenson. White and bronze chrysanthemums lent decoration.

Mrs. B. E. Coleman was in charge of the program and gave the featured talk. Mrs. A. E. Branch offered a piano solo.

Refreshments were served.

To Wed In December

Claiming special interest among announcements of weddings to take place during the holidays, was the luncheon given Friday by Mrs. O. B. King of Weslaco to announce the engagement of her daughter, Maydene, to Marion Busby of Lockhart. Mr. Busby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Busby of Tyler. The wedding will be an event of December 22. (Edrington Studio.)

Attractive Luncheon Given Friday Reveals Nuptials Set For Dec. 22

WESLACO — Mrs. O. B. King was hostess for a lovely one o'clock luncheon given Friday, November 29, at Halliburton's to honor her daughter, Miss Maydene King, whose marriage to Marion Busby of Lockhart will take place December 22. Welcoming the guests were Mrs. King and the honoree, the latter especially attractive in her smart frock of light weight blue wool.

The guests were seated at a long table exquisitely appointed to combine the popular autumnal theme with the bridal motif. Centering the board was an arrangement of bronze chrysanthemums while gold leaves and chrysanthemums in the chosen color were placed along its length interspersed with grapes and other colorful small fruits.

Concealed in the fruit and flower clusters were tiny placecards which were drawn by slender cords serving as markers at each place. Names of the affianced couple and the nuptial date were written in white on the gold cards which were decorated in nuptial design with lilies of the valley and a tiny dove.

During the cocktail course Miss Billie Marion Parks gave a toast to the honoree and at the close of the courtesy announced the engagement of Miss Maydene King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. King, and Marion Busby of Lockhart, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Busby of Tyler.

Mrs. F. W. Edwards presented Miss King with a bride's book, beautifully wrapped in the chosen colors and tied with a pretty corsage.

Guests enjoying the announcement luncheon were Misses Billie Marion Parks, Lucille Chandler, LeLoi Williams, Mary Louise Gunther, Mary Louise Johnston, Pauline Marshall, Isa Lou Carey of Harlingen, Dorothy Belle King, Betty Jean Frizzell, Margaret Ann Mitchell, Mrs. James McElyea, of Mercedes, Mrs. Shelt Young, Mrs. B. V. Gish and Mrs. F. W. Edwards.

Young Matrons Will Meet Tuesday

COMBES — The Young Matrons Missionary Society will meet Tuesday at the home of Mrs. H. M. King. New officers who will take their posts at this meeting will be Mrs. H. M. King, president; Mrs. Alton Collinsworth, secretary; Mrs. R. Q. Adams, Jr., program chairman, and Mrs. L. B. Martin, reporter. At this meeting, also, the members will reveal their "secret sisters."

Greens Are Hosts For Evening Bridge

SAN JUAN—Mr. and Mrs. Lee M. Green were hosts Tuesday night at their pretty home on west highway, when they entertained honoring Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Sprague of Mihawaka, Indiana. Bridge was the diversion of the evening.

A dessert course was served to Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Shaffstall, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Stugard, Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Sprague, and Mrs. S. H. Dean.

The hosts presented Mrs. Stugard of San Antonio, and Mrs. Sprague with guest prizes, and Mrs. Dean was awarded high score favor for ladies and Mr. Shaffstall high for men.

GO TO AUSTIN

SAN JUAN — Mr. and Mrs. Lee Green and son, Albert Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hudson left Thursday for San Antonio. There they were joined by Mrs. Rosa Mae Tobin and continued to Austin to attend the A. and M.-University football game.

Calvary W.M.S. Has All-Day Meet

HARLINGEN — An all day meeting with covered dish luncheon was held by the Woman's Missionary Society of Calvary Baptist church Tuesday at the home of Mrs. M. T. Gregory on Rio Hondo Road.

The study topic, "Faithful Among Persecutions" was conducted by Mrs. Hartwell Stewart, program chairman.

Mrs. Nolan Mitcham assisted the hostess in serving the luncheon.

A review of the book, "Pulishing Glad Tidings," was presented by Mrs. I. J. Drews.

In the business session the group voted to donate a sum each month for mission work along the border and to prepare Thanksgiving baskets for needy families.

Club Will Meet

HARLINGEN — Meeting of the Child Study Club will be held Thursday at 3:15 p. m. at the home of Mrs. L. E. Seligman. Mrs. G. K. Schuepbach will be co-hostess.

Church Rites To Be Read December 22

Gwen Anderson To Wed O. M. Little

(Picture Page One)

LA FERIA—Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Anderson have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their eldest daughter, Gwendolyn Jeanette, to Osborne M. Little of Weslaco, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Little of Putman, Texas.

The ceremony will take place December 22 at five o'clock in the afternoon in the First Presbyterian church of La Feria with the Rev. Fred Hopkins, pastor, officiating.

Miss Anderson, a graduate of the La Feria high school, attended Brownsville Junior College and received her B.S. degree from the University of South Dakota at Vermillion. She is a member of Gamma Xi sorority at Brownsville Junior College, and a member of Phi Sigma Iota, honorary foreign language fraternity, and Kappa Alpha Theta, social fraternity. Her sister, Miss Mavis Anderson, will be her only attendant.

Mr. Little is a graduate of Howard Payne College at Brownwood and is now on the coaching staff at Weslaco high school.

Miss Anderson has been a member of the teaching staff at Donna the past two years.

Play, Bibly Study And Missions School Set For Baptists

BROWNSVILLE — Three meetings have been set for Baptist women at the First Baptist church here for next week. At 3 o'clock Monday afternoon there will be Bible study at the church, and at 7:15 o'clock that evening, a church school of mission for the Foreign Mission Week of Prayer.

On Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, a play, The Life of Lottie Moon, will be given.

Valley Youth, Bride Arrive For Visit

SAN JUAN — Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Martin arrived Thursday for a visit following their recent marriage, October 7, in Bryan. They are guests of Mr. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Martin.

The bride is the former Miss Ina Steele, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Steele of Bryan.

Their wedding was an event of October 7.

The bridegroom is a senior at Texas A. and M. College where they will return Sunday.

They were accompanied to the Valley by Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Abbott and daughter, Billie Sue, of Beaumont. Mrs. Abbott is the sister of E. F. Martin in whose home the visitors are guests.

Group To Be Guests For Turkey Dinner

SAN JUAN — Mesdames J. D. Biehn of Donna and Carl Thomson of Alamo, will entertain friends at a turkey dinner, Sunday, at the former's home.

Guests will include Messrs. and Mmes. Virgil Peterson, Fred Schmidt, Elmer Mesenbring, and children, and Mmes. Carl Swantz and Lindenberg, all of McAllen.

Guild Gives Shower

LOS FRESNOS — Eleven members of the Saint Cecilia's Guild of the local Catholic church were cohostesses with the Star of the Sea Guild at Port Isabel when they entertained on Tuesday afternoon with a shower honoring the Sisters of the Parochial school at Port Isabel.

The afternoon was spent in playing bingo after which refreshments were served to more than fifty members who participated.

President La Feria Club

Mrs. H. W. Voiers, La Feria, is president of the Twentieth Century Club, the oldest study club in La Feria. An unusual feature connected with her presidency is the fact that her daughter, Mrs. Jim Goode, is president of La Feria's youngest literary club, the Sorosis Club. (Holbrook Studio)

Health Talk Club Feature

RAYMONDVILLE — Members of the Raymondville Woman's club had as guest speaker on Tuesday afternoon Morgan D. Finley, vice president of the Cameron County Tubercular Association.

"If we put into practice what we know today," he asserted, "the disease could be whipped in our own generation."

Definite ways for women to help, Mr. Finley enumerated as follows: Work for a branch state institution for the Valley; educate the public; promote skin testing and chest clinics; raise funds for the care of local cases. "It has been discovered that climate has less than one per cent weight effect on the disease," he asserted.

Mrs. Frank Wilson, a member of the welfare department of the club, presented the speaker.

Mrs. Esther Kerr played a well-known spiritual and one of Kreisler's waltzes on the violin, accompanied by Mrs. Vera Beck.

Mrs. Burton Rapp gave a report of the Federation of Women's clubs in Austin, to which she was a delegate, and Mrs. S. L. Gill spoke of the unveiling of the placques, the golden jubilee dinner and the election.

Great masses of golden pompon chrysanthemums were banked about the club room. The refreshment table, laid with a handmade medallion cloth, was centered by frosted glass vase containing yellow chrysanthemums. Serving of dainty open-faced sandwiches and Russian tea was presided over by Mrs. Karl Duddlesten.

Santa Maria Club Plans Yule Party

SANTA MARIA — When the Santa Maria 4-H Club held a regular meeting Wednesday, Miss Kathryn Richards helped the members make Christmas gifts.

The group elected Margaret Sue Banter and Sofia Lee Rasco to serve as clothing demonstrators and Brunetta Phillips as poultry representative.

Plans were made for a Christmas party and committees named to handle preparations.

Family Dinner Held

SAN JUAN — A family Thanksgiving dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Cummings, Wednesday evening. The celebration was also in honor of Mr. Cummings' birthday.

Guests included Mrs. S. H. Hancock, Miss Pearl Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. J. Floyd Hetrick, and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Lee M. Green and Albert Lee.

Thanksgiving Dinner Is Pleasing Affair

RAYMONDVILLE — Mrs. C. O. Sundling was hostess for a one o'clock dinner at her home Thanksgiving Day. The table was beautifully decorated to express the Thanksgiving theme.

Mrs. Sundling was assisted in serving by her daughters, Miss Hazel Sundling of San Benito, and Miss Astrid Sundling.

Guests for the pleasant affair were Mr. and Mrs. Jens Nielsen, Miss Eugenia Jeansen, and Jean Jeansen, all of Falfurrias; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Redlund, Mr. and Mrs. Sven Vassburg, David and Paul Vaasburg, Miss Ruth Pearson, and C. O. Sundling.

Mrs. Ray Hartness Hostess To Group

WESLACO—Mrs. Ray Hartness was hostess Tuesday afternoon to the Bluebonnet Club. Mrs. Ted Pratz was an out of club guest.

Mrs. Wm. Jemkines won score award.

The hostess served refreshments at the close of games. Red and pink radiance roses lent attractive decoration.

In Washington

BROWNSVILLE — Miss Jeanne Magill daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Earle Magill, who is a student at the Pratt Institue of Art in Brooklyn, spent Thanksgiving at National Park College in Washington. Miss Magill attended National Park last year.

Garden Pests To Be Topic For Meeting

HARLINGEN — N. O. Berry will be guest speaker Thursday at 3 p.m. at the regular meeting of the Harlingen Garden Club to be held at the Woman's Building. Mr. Berry, who is connected with the U. S. Department of Agriculture, will discuss pests from the standpoint of Valley gardeners and will offer suggestions for their control.

Everyone interested is invited to hear Mr. Berry's talk.

MUSIC CLUB MEET SET FOR WEDNESDAY

Mrs. A. E. Krebs will be leader for the program on 19th century music to be presented Wednesday at 3:15 at the Woman's Building at the regular meeting of the Music Lovers Club. Numbers will include "Nightfall," Griffes, played by Mrs. Charles A. Washmon; "Beautiful Evening," Debussy, sung by Mrs. J. G. Fox; "Edward Ballade," Brahms, played by Mrs. W. J. Williams; and a double piano number from Brahms, played by Mrs. Jim Koonce and Miss Mary Elizabeth Challes.

Hostesses will be Mesdames F. L. Flynn and E. C. Deering.

PARENTS, EDUCATORS TO MEET MONDAY

Promptly at 3:30 p.m. Monday there will be a meeting of the Sam Houston Parents and Educators at the school. Mrs. Van R. Wiggins is to be speaker and Miss Emogene Oler will be soloist. An executive board meeting will be held at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. W. W. King

Mrs. Thomas Rives Luncheon Hostess

WESLACO — Mrs. Thomas F. Rives was hostess to her luncheon club Tuesday entertaining the members and guests with a Thanksgiving turkey dinner at her lovely home.

The guests were seated at a large table attractively decorated in the Thanksgiving theme.

With the members enjoying the hospitable affair were Mrs. Jack Zillafro, Mrs. George Hall and Mrs. Rankin Kennedy.

Mrs. Bryon Hutto won high score and Mrs. Leroy Buss second high.

New Club Officers Will Be Installed

LA FERIA— The home demonstration club will meet at Legion Hall Monday afternoon. Officers will be installed and annual reports given. The meeting will mark the final business session of the year.

BODENMILLERS VISIT

RIO HONDO — Mr. and Mrs. George Bodenmiller have gone to San Antonio to spend the holidays with relatives. Mrs. Bodenmiller will remain there for a few weeks. Mr. Bodenmiller will return to his work at Rio Hondo Monday.

Betrothed

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gallaway of Mercedes announce the engagement and coming marriage of their daughter, Phyllis, to William Schwarz of Mercedes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schwarz of Mercedes. The wedding will take place January 1, 1941, in the home of the bride-to-be's brother, Steve Gallaway.

Jones Home Is Cocktail Party Scene

McALLEN—Mrs. Anne Jo Jones entertained a group of visitors Thanksgiving afternoon at her cleverly appointed home with a cocktail party, a prelude to delightful holiday evening.

Centering the cocktail table, laid with an imported cloth, was a large boat-shaped bowl filled to overflowing with bronze chrysanthemums. Slim strands of bronze ribbons linked two blue pottery bowls to the centerpiece. Tasty dishes of appetizers blended with the decorative effect.

Mrs. Jones' unique collection of music boxes provided merriment for the early evening.

Later the group went to the A. J. Campbell home and still later to the J. D. Lauck's home at Pharr for a midnight cold turkey snack.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. F. Peterson and Dr. and Mrs. Curtis Jones, all of Benton, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hart, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Stockton Fountain, with the Campbells, Laucks and Mrs. Jones.

ATTEND GAME

HARLINGEN — Among Harlingen residents attending the football game in Corpus Christi were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Williams, Dr. and Mrs. G. Earl Allen, and Miss Bettylou Williams.

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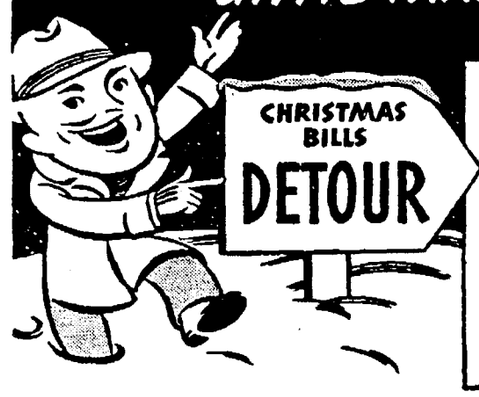

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B. P. Jaco Is Honored On Birthday

RAYMONDVILLE—In recognition of her father's 77th birthday anniversary Mrs. W. V. Pittman gave a dinner party on Thanksgiving Day in her home. Chrysanthemums in bronze and yellow gave radiance to the reception room and deep lavender chrysanthemums in clear crystal centered the table laid with damask.

Mr. Jaco was born in Longtown, Miss., in 1863. After many interesting years in the ministry of the Methodist church he was superannuated because of ill health and came to the Valley with Mrs. Jaco in November, 1925, to live.

For several years he has been teacher of the Men's Bible class of the Methodist church, and has many times filled the pulpits of the various churches of the town.

Guests at the lovely affair were Mrs. C. E. Bonner, who because of ill health, has been unable to visit anyone since last Thanksgiving, and Mr. Bonner, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lee Brown, Mr. and Mrs. John Serota, and Stanley Addington.

Calendar

HARLINGEN

MONDAY

9:30 a. m. Flower Lovers Club meets at the home of Mrs. H. M. Dunaway, 809 E. Buchanan.

12 noon. Harlingen Business and Professional Woman's Club meets at the Reese-Wil-Mond Hotel.

3 p. m. Baptist W.M.S. meets at the church for week of prayer service.

5 p. m. Harlingen Assembly of the Order of the Rainbow meets at the Masonic Hall.

2:30 p. m. Executive board meeting Sam Houston Parents and Educators at home of Mrs. W. W. King

3:30 p. m. Sam Houston Parents and Educators meet at the school.

TUESDAY

7:30 p. m. Harlingen group Composers and Authors Association meets at the Woman's Building.

7:30 p. m. Little Theatre group meets in Madison Hotel ballroom.

1 p. m. Baptist W.M.S. meets at church for monthly business luncheon followed by prayer service.

7:30 p. m. Community meeting at the Stuart Place school.

3 p. m. Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service meets as follows: One, with Mrs. W. M. McMillan, 1122 E. Jackson; two, at the church; three, with Mrs. W. A. Stephens, 1300 E. Taylor; four, with Mrs. I. B. Corns at Stuart Place; five, with Mrs. L. G. Harris, 110 E. Buchanan; six, with Mrs. L. R. Hollingsworth, 701 E. Taylor.

2:30 p. m. St. Anthony's Guild will hold a regular business meeting with Mesdames G. W. Johnston, Carl Peters, and C. S. McQueeney as hostesses, the place to be announced later.

WEDNESDAY

3:15 p. m. Music Lovers Club meets at the Woman's Building.

12:30 noon. Child Study Council meets in McAllen at First Methodist Church.

THURSDAY

3 p. m. Baptist W.M.S. meets at church for week of prayer service.

3 p. m. Harlingen Garden Club meets at the Woman's Building.

3:15 p. m. The Child Study Club meets at the home of Mrs. L. E. Seligman.

2:30 p. m. St. Alban's Guild of the Episcopal Church meets at the home of Mrs. John T. Thompson.

FRIDAY

3 p. m. Baptist W.M.S. meets at the church for week of prayer service.

McALLEN

MONDAY

2:30 p. m.—Members of the chorus of the McAllen Music Club will meet at the home of Mrs. M. C. Brown for practice before the regular meeting of the club.

3:00 p. m.—The McAllen Music Club will hold its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. M. C. Brown.

3:00 p. m.—The Lincoln School Parent-Teacher Association will meet at the school.

3:00 p. m.—The G-Women' Club will meet with Mrs. E. Dube, 1521 Ivy avenue.

TUESDAY

9:30 a. m.—The City Federation of Women's Clubs will meet at the First Methodist Church.

2:00 p. m.—The Dorcas Class of the First Methodist Church will meet at the church for a Christmas party with Mrs. M. H. Collins and Mrs. J. L. Cramer, hostesses.

WEDNESDAY

12:30 p. m.—The McAllen Child Study Club will be hostess, group to the Valley Child Study Club Council at the First Methodist Church for luncheon and an afternoon meeting.

4:00 p. m.—A tea and reception at the Casa de Palmas Hotel will honor grand officers of the Order of the Eastern Star here for the school of instruction tomorrow.

THURSDAY

9:00 a. m.—The annual school of instruction for the 16 Valley Eastern Star chapters will open at the Masonic Temple and close tonight with a banquet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

9:30 a. m.—The Junior Service League will meet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel for the first check-up on ticket sales for the dance the unit is sponsoring December 14 at Club Royale.

2:30 p. m.—Mrs. Si Casady will be hostess to the McAllen circle of the Trinity Episcopal Church auxiliary.

SATURDAY

9:30 a. m.—The Altar Society will stage its annual one-day bazaar at the Jones building, South Main street.

The Valley Pan-Hellenic will meet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel for luncheon.

IN AUSTIN

DONNA — Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ray were in Austin for the Texas A. and M. game Thursday afternoon.

Chairman Style Show

Mrs. C. Burt McKeehan of Weslaco is chairman of the committee for Weslaco's annual Style Show to be held Thursday night, December 12, in connection with the annual Weslaco Birthday party. Because of the large number of organizations entering models wearing costumes of vegetables, fruits, and flowers, the spectacle this year promises to be the most dazzling in the history of the event which has gained nation-wide recognition, reports presented to Mrs. McKeehan indicate.

Miss Mildred Ormesher Wed To T. D. Hazelwood In Thanksgiving Rites

Brownsville Pair Is United In Harlingen Church Ceremony

HARLINGEN — Of particular interest in Brownsville and Harlingen, as well as other parts of the Valley is the marriage of Miss Mildred Lees Ormesher, of Brownsville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Lees Ormesher of Harlingen, to Theo David Hazelwood of Brownsville, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Hazelwood of Houston.

The rites were solemnized Thursday morning at 9 o'clock at the First Methodist church in Harlingen with only members of the two families and a very few intimate friends attending. Officiating was the Rev. J. Leonard Rea, pastor of the First Methodist church at Brownsville.

Giant white chrysanthemums, greenery, fern and potted palms combined to create a lovely setting for the ceremony.

The couple was unattended.

The bride entered with her father who gave her in marriage. She wore a tailored frock of sheer wool in a pastel blue especially becoming to her blonde coloring. The frock was made with full, three-quarter length sleeves, a draped bodice and a slightly flared skirt. The bride's accessories were black, and her costume was completed with a profile hat of matching pastel felt. Sweetheart roses in shades of pink and lilies of the valley fashioned her shoulder corsage.

Preceding the ceremony, Kent Stratford of Brownsville was at the organ for a musical prelude. He played "Dreams" by Stohlton, and "Clair de Lune" by Debussy, repeating the last softly during the ceremony. Accompanied by Mr. Stratford, Miss Emogene Oler of Harlingen sang the prenuptial solo, "Because."

Immediately following the ceremony, there was a reception at the home of the bride's parents in Harlingen. Here bronze chrysanthemums were used in profusion in the living and music rooms, and in the dining room where pink roses in several shades.

The table, laid with lace, held at one end the round, three-tiered cake, embossed in bridal design entirely in white, and topped with a miniature bridal pair. Serving the cake after the bride had cut the first slice was Mrs. Ralph B. Ormesher, who wore a blue crepe frock with a corsage of bronze chrysanthemums. Presiding at the coffee service was Mrs. A. E. Krebs, who wore black crepe with a corsage of violets. Assisting here also was Miss Oler.

The bride's mother was handsome in wine-colored crepe, worn with black accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazelwood left soon afterwards for Saltillo on a brief honeymoon trip. They were to return Sunday to make their home at 510 East Elizabeth, Brownsville.

The bride, a talented vocalist, is a graduate of the Incarnate Word music school in San Antonio, and studied music at the University of Colorado and at Juilliard's in New York. For the past two years she has been an instructor in the Brownsville junior high school. She is director of the First Methodist church choir of Brownsville.

Mr. Hazelwood, a graduate of Butler University at Indianapolis, Ind., has been residing in the Middlewest and East until the past year. He is associated with Mauldin Aircraft in Brownsville.

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Brownsville Girl Heard In Recital

BROWNSVILLE — Miss Leah Field Longoria was presented in her grade C, third year, piano recital in the junior college auditorium by her instructor, Professor Antonio Ortiz, director of the Beethoven Musical Institute here.

The program comprised 18 difficult works of the classical composers, all played from memory with great skill and brilliant execution by Miss Longoria.

The stage was decorated with gladioli in floor baskets. Miss Longoria wore a colonial style gown of ashes of roses taffeta a Cotillion original.

After the recital there was a reception at the home of the recitalist's sister, Mrs. Juan Jose Champion, and Mr. Champion.

The table, laid with a cloth of hand-drawn linen, was centered with red radiance roses in a silver bowl, flanked with green tapers in silver holders. Presiding at the coffee service was Miss Bertha Champion, and serving was Mrs. Enrique M. Longoria of Laredo. Assisting in hostess duties were Miss Sarita Longoria of Laredo, Mrs. Antonio Longoria, Jr., Mrs. Joseph Leyendecker of Laredo, Mrs. Benito Longoria, Jr., Miss Magdalena Champion, Mrs. A. A. Champion, and Miss Irene Putegnat.

Out of town guests for the recital and reception were Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Longoria and Mrs. Joseph Leyendecker of Laredo, and other guests from the Valley and Matamoros.

Art Exhibit Is Planned

MISSION—An art exhibit will be the guest day program feature planned by members of the Mission Branch of the American Association of University Women, for Saturday, December 7, at the library.

Mrs. V. V. Lehman, Weslaco, will be presented in the program, showing exhibits of her paintings and of work done by pupils of Weslaco schools, where she is art instructor. In her own right, Mrs. Lehman has received wide recognition for her work. She has studied under leading artists of America, including those in the art department of the University of Wisconsin, where she was enrolled last summer. Included among the pieces to be shown will be an entire puppet theatre which has been made by Mrs. Lehman's students.

Arrangements for the guest day program are in charge of Mrs. C. L. Saunders.

Mission Pair Notes 25th Anniversary

MISSION — Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hodge left early Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with their daughter, Mrs. Cates Eppright and Lieut. Eppright at Randolph Field, San Antonio. They will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary while there. Thursday, the two couples attended the Texas-A. and M. game in Austin together.

Garden Club Names Model For Pagent

PHARR—Miss Frances Polk, daughter of Mrs. Virginia N. Polk, has been chosen to represent the Pharr Garden Club in the Weslaco Style Show.

Miss Polk, a red head, will wear a skating costume made from popped corn kernels.

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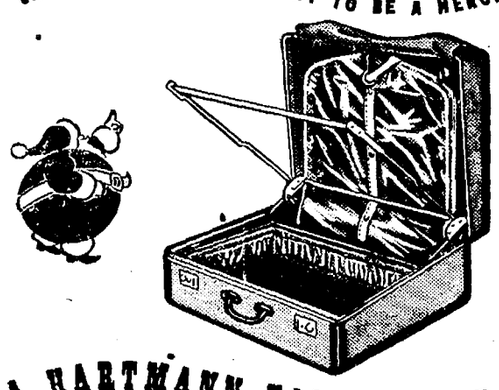

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Pair Serves At Tea

Shown above are Mrs. James L. Rentfro, seated, left and Mrs. Augustine Celaya, Jr., who were in the house party at one of the recent large social events in Brownsville. In the background is a tea guest, Miss Sophia Spivey, chatting with another guest. (Staff Photo.)

Nuptials For Couple Thanksgiving Morning Of Noteworthy Interest

EDINBURG — In a simple but impressive ceremony Thanksgiving morning, Miss Margaret Wall, daughter of Mrs. Anie Wall, became the bride of Edwin Fritz of Kerrville, at eight-thirty at the Sacred Heart Catholic church.

The couple pledged their vows before a beautifully decorated altar with white and yellow chrysanthemums, and tall white tapers glowing. The Rev. Father P. J. Kennedy, pastor, read the lines.

The bride, who entered with the groom to a traditional wedding march, wore a blue chiffon velvet model on princess lines with a double strand of pearls. She carried an arm bouquet of white gladioli. Her accessories were black.

Her only attendant was her sister, Miss Ruth, who wore a wine pebble-crepe frock with wine accessories. Her corsage was of pink roses.

The bride's mother wore a grape wine chiffon velvet model with black accessories.

The groom was attended by his brother, Francis Fritz of Fredericksburg.

During the ceremony, Mrs. C. J. Siegrist played soft notes on the organ and accompanied Miss Harriette Hagedorn who sang.

Immediately following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was held at the home of the bride's mother. Pretty white and yellow chrysanthemums decorated the rooms. The dining table, laid with a hand-made Hardanger cloth, was centered by the wedding cake, a three-tier white confection. After the bride assisted by the groom, cut the first piece, the bride's cousin, Mrs. Frances Guelker, served. The silver coffee service was on a small table near the dining table. Mrs. H. O. Schaleben and Mrs. George Magee poured the coffee.

The bride wore a smart tiel blue woolen suit with black accessories for her going away ensemble. She is a graduate of Edinburg high school and has been employed at the Agriculture Adjustment Administration office for the past few months.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fritz of Fredericksburg and is office manager in the Ford Motor Company in Kerrville. He is a graduate of St. Mary's high school at Fredericksburg and of Draughn's Business College of San Antonio. The couple will make their home in Kerrville.

Out of town guests for the wedding were the groom's brothers, Francis and Victor Fritz of Fredericksburg.

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March Of Time Bougainvillea Pageant To Be Picturesque

Donna Event To Inaugurate Fiesta Season

DONNA —A South American jungle, an effete court of the 19th century, and a beautiful garden in the Rio Grande Valley are the strongly contrasting backgrounds represented in the three acts of "Bougainvillea March of Time," to be presented Thursday and Friday night, December 5 and 6. The pageant is one of the major events of Donna's annual Rio Grande celebration, and of outstanding interest throughout the Valley because of the recognition it gives to the Valley's Bougainvillea Trail which will be formally inaugurated next March.

Beautifully dramatized with elaborate costumes, appropriate dances by pupils from the Elstner School of Dance, and dialogue presenting the romantic history of the Valley's much publicized flower trail, the pageant will be the outstanding event of the kind for the season.

The opening scene presents Philibert Commerson, the botanist who discovered the bougainvillea 80 years ago, represented by Miles White. Andrew Champion has the role of Louis Antonine de Bougainvillea, for whom the shrub was named, the French navigator commanding the voyage. Mrs. Vera Kirkpatrick represents Mother Nature and Miss Betty Vertrees has the principal role of Sanderiana as the Princess Bougainvillea.

To Have Roles

Other characters include June Standridge, Shirley Taylor, Ruth Green, Catherine Miller, Mary Holloway, Louise Perkins, Hazel Hart, Barbara Ewing, Ruth Neubauer, Dorothy Rose, Billie Ruth Johnsen, and Betty Sue Capen as Spirits of Vegetation; Oris Johnson and Junior Wyatt, monkeys; Ruth Cohrs, Evelyn Grubb, Vivian Heflin, Mary Norma Lanius, canaries; Adrian Ramsey, Ann Alcorn, Gwinnie Stites, Christine Champion, Gloria Kammer, and Betty Sue Patterson, butterflies.

Harold Shumate, Weslaco, has the role of Father Time.

Music will be by the Donna Redskin band directed by N. G. Patrick.

Representing Sanderiana's sisters, will be Martha Chesnutt, Shirley Ward, Winona Farris, Jean Tracey, Nelwyn Kennedy, Marie Cox, Yleen Bracken, Marie Moye, and Edna Davis.

Miss Esther Combs is piano accompanist.

Court Scene

Roles in the elaborate court scene for Act II will be portrayed by George Vance, Glenn White, Sally Weaver, Gene Stainke, Miller Hammons, Jr., Mal Wunn, Ima and Iva Stuart, Eula Martin, Marie Antoinette George, Norma Edwards, Alvin Tracey, Jean Weinert, Vernon Sutphen, Dorothy Manville, M. Sommers, Chris Arnold, Louise Boyce, Clyde Todd, Marjorie Matteson, M. M. Moss, Warren Jackson, George Wheelock, L. H. Hinkle, Darren Wills, O. E. Agan, Sid Hooper, Nathalie Rutosky.

Martha Robinson is pianist for Act III which presents a gorgeous wedding spectacle with Sanderiana as the bride.

Principals will include:

Groom's family, Mother Earth, Mrs. Sid Hopper; Father Earth, Moulton "Ty" Cobb; Sisters Grapefruit, Lime, Lemon, and Rose, Jane Weaver, Rosemary Dodd, Doris Jewell, and Marion Somers; Brother Cactus, Eldon Sargeant; Cousin whitewing, Helen Wyatt; Uncle Jackrabbit, Cliff Holland; Uncle Neptune, Branch Roberts; Uncle Carpet Grass, Frank Thomason.

Sanderiana's family and friends: Mother Nature, Mrs. Kirkpatrick; Father Nature, A. B. Sanders; palm, bluebonnet, poinsettia, and orange spirits, Virginia Boling, Patsy Huntley, Annie Laura Leadbetter, and Jean Baker.

Princess Is Bride

Miss Vertrees as the Princess Sanderiana will have the role of bride; Orin Anderson, representing Mr. Trail, is to be the groom; and F. E. Groves will portray Preacher Advertising. Buck Henson will be best man as Senor Rio; Mrs. Eldon Sargent will be soloist as Lady Retama; Huey Todd is city marshal; Walter Bean, Mr. Lack Interest; and Ralph Andrews, radio announcer.

Groomsmen will be Delbert Eining, Harry Schreiber, Paul Smith, Jens Mortonson, Weslaco, Billie Smith, Mission, Mike MacManus, Brownsville, Jimmy Landrum, San Benito, Herbie Ennis, Lonnie Agan, Fred Speickerman, Herman Porter, Miller Hammons, Jr., Gene Stainke, Alvin Tracey, Andrew Champion, and Mal Wynn. Junior groomsmen will be Bobbie Boeye, James Morrow, Daniel Bacon, and E. Chrisman.

Attendants to the bride will be Winona Farris, Shirley Ward, Alice Eining, Martha Chestnutt, Ruth Landry, Mission, Nelwyn Kennedy, Bettye Burkhart, Alamo, Marie Cox, Aline East, San Benito, Mae Wood, Yleen Bracken, Jean Tracy, Gloria Mertz, McAllen, Marie Moye, Mildred Fish, Brownsville, Edna Davis, and Rosemary Hart.

Flower girls will include Sandra Martin, Rosemary Washburn, Carol Kay Hooks, Sylvia Tracy, Joan Prather, and Alice Ann Holland.

Mrs. D. A. Pureer is chairman of the pageant and Mrs. H. B. Scott is co-chairman. Others on the managing staff include Miss Jessie Mercer, director; Mrs. Rosita Alcorn, mistress of wardrobe; Mrs. Dale Washburn, technical director; L. F. "Cot" Boling, publicity director; Miss Beulah Moye, house manager; D. L. Wilson, lighting.

On Holiday Visit

SAN BENITO—Miss Laura Nell Carpenter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Carpenter, and Miss Shirley Gudmanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gudmanson of Bayview, are spending the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents. The girls are roommates and first year student nurses at John Sealy Hospital in Galveston.

Mrs. Dale Washburn of Donna is general chairman for the scenery and staging effects for the March of Time Bougainvillea Pageant to be presented in Donna December 5 and 6. Mrs. Washburn is particularly active in the Donna Garden Club and also shares in civic and church activities in Donna. (Holbrook Studio.)

Retiring President

Mrs. Ray Foncannon, who has served as president of the La Feria Home Demonstration Club for the past two years, will conclude her administration at the next meeting. Mrs. Foncannon will be parliamentarian for the coming year for the Home Demonstration Council of Cameron County. (Holbrook Studio.)

Grand O. E. S. Officers Will Conduct School Of Instruction Thursday

McALLEN—Valley members of the Order of the Eastern Star will convene here Thursday for the annual school of instruction at the Masonic Temple conducted by grand officers.

Grand officers will arrive early in the week, headed by Mrs. Robbie Dyer of Amarillo, worthy grand matron, and A. E. Shirley of Port Arthur, worthy grand patron, according to Mrs. M. H. Laycock, worthy matron of the McAllen chapter.

The first social event of their visit will be a tea and reception Wednesday for which the 16 Valley chapters will be hostesses at the Casa de Palmas Hotel Wednesday from 4 p.m. until 6 p.m.

The recently organized chapter at Edcouch will be constituted Wednesday night.

Scores of Valley Eastern Stars are expected to gather here to meet the grand officers at the tea, the preliminary event to the school of instruction Thursday.

The school of instruction will be conducted by Mrs. Dyer, with Mrs. Lucille Duffner of San Antonio, district deputy grand matron; Mrs. Jane Hensley of La Feria, deputy grand matron; and Mrs. Hattie Lucille Dowell of Austin, grand examiner.

Several other grand officers are expected to attend.

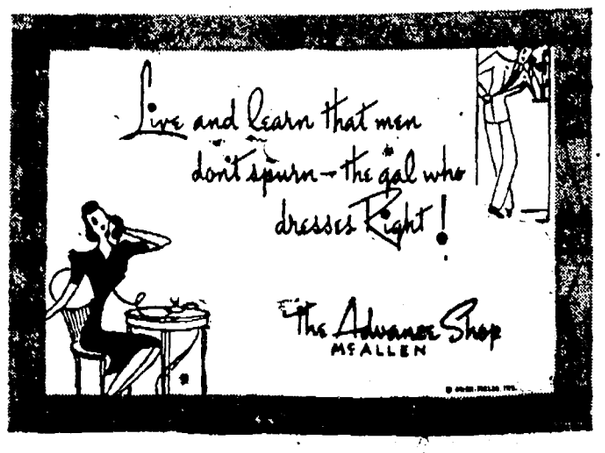
The all-day school will be climaxed that night with a banquet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel where again the 16 Valley chapters will serve as hostesses.

Mrs. Dean Hostess

SAN JUAN—Mrs. H. S. Dean had as her guests Thanksgiving evening, in Reynosa for dinner, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Sullivan, Lane, and Miss Jane Rhinehart. The occasion was in honor of Mr. Sullivan's birth date.

Miss Myers Goes

BROWNSVILLE—Miss Katherine Myers left Thursday evening for Austin where she attended the council of Texas Young People of the Presbyterian church. She was to return her Sunday evening.



Art Show, Tea Slated Thursday

Mrs. Si Ray's Works To Be Shown

BROWNSVILLE—Members of the Brownsville Art League will present works of Mrs. Si D. Ray in a one-man show Thursday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce. The art exhibit will open with a tea between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock, though the pictures will remain on exhibit throughout the evening.

The show is the league's contribution to National Art Month, in which artists and art groups attempt to place art before the public, and to stimulate art appreciation.

Mrs. Ray's work is familiar to many Valleyites as she has exhibited in local and Valley displays, and has taken prizes in the Valley Mid-Winter Fair art contest. The showing will be composed of about two dozen oils, landscapes painted this summer while Mrs. Ray was a member of the art colony at Sul Ross at Alpine. The paintings depict scenes at Fort Davis, the Chisos Mountains, and the Big Bend country.

Mrs. Ray is a charter member of the Brownsville Art League, which celebrates its sixth birthday this year, and of the Alexandria, La., Art League. She studied under Will Stevenson at Sophie Newcomb in New Orleans, under Martin Sills of New York, and under Harry Anthony De Young of San Antonio.

In addition to her local and Valley exhibitions, Mrs. Ray has exhibited in Dallas, San Marcos, Houston, Austin, Kingsville, Alpine, and in Alexandria, La. She has been invited to display her paintings in Chicago this February.

Holiday Bazaar To Be Conducted By Altar Society

McALLEN—The McAllen Altar Society will observe a custom of long standing Saturday with a bazaar at the Jones building on South Main Street.

The bazaar room, filled with Christmas gift suggestions, will open at 9 a. m. with luncheon servel at noon and again at night. The bazaar will close with the closing of downtown stores.

Booths of small potted plants, dish towels, aprons, fancy work, pillowcases, sheets and Christmas candies will be featured.

Mrs. H. L. Cummins To Give Program At Review Club

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Howard L. Cummins will be in charge of the program when members of the Literature and Art Review Club meet with Mrs. F. W. Hofmokel Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Cummins will review the Scarlet Letter by Nathaniel Hawthorne.

The Mexican campaign of 1916 taught the U. S. army the need for motorized equipment.

Plan Annual Dance Event

McAllen Junior Service League members here were preparing to launch the ticket sale for their semi-annual Christmas Charity Ball at Club Royale, Saturday, December 14. Twice each year the attractive young matrons and misses who comprise the league membership stage a dance that is tops in Upper Valley entertainment for charity. Mrs. Jack Lomax, seated left, and Mrs. Wilfred Dean, right, are but two of the score or more league members active for the project.

Episcopal Group Precedes Meeting With Luncheon

McALLEN—A business meeting of a Trinity Episcopal Church committee was preceded Friday with a luncheon at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

Vernon C. Hill, Mission attorney and chairman of the committee, was host.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Hill, Mrs. T. H. Armstrong, all of Mission; Mrs. Leland McCullough of Pharr, Mrs. Harrison Riddle of San Juan, Mrs. Si Casady, Mrs. O. Terry, Mrs. Charles Herndon, Mrs. Gordon Baxter and the Rev. W. W. Stewart.

Two Are Honored On Birthdays

LOS FRESNOS—A joint celebration of the birthdays of Charles Gobar of Bayview and E. E. Ogden of San Benito was observed when the families met for a Thanksgiving dinner at the Gobar home on Sunday.

Present for the unusual celebration were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ogden and family of San Benito, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Chatelle, Mrs. E. C. Swann, Mrs. N. G. Chatelle, Jimmy and Gerry Chatelle and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gobar and family.

HERE FOR WEEK-END

HARLINGEN—Billy Kincy, freshman at A. and M. College, is spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Kincy. He attended the Texas A. and M. game at Austin Thursday, and will see the Harlingen-Corpus game Friday night.

Miss Elsie Hahn Is Bride Of Richard E. Brown In Early Morning Service

HARLINGEN—In an early morning ceremony at St. Anthony's church Thursday, Miss Elsie Hahn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Hahn, became the bride of Richard E. Brown of Austin. Father A. Antoine, O. M. I., officiated.

Attendants to the couple were Miss Lucille Hahn and Joe Hahn, sister and brother of the bride.

The bride wore soldier blue with black accessories and her sister wore black lace with harmonizing accessories.

Mrs. Hahn, mother of the bride, wore a costume in navy and white and the mother of the bridegroom, Mrs. William Brown, Sr., of Corpus Christi, was attired in black.

Out of town guests for the wedding, in addition to the bride's sister from Houston, were Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, Sr., of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Hacker of Brownsville, and Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, Jr., of Brownsville.

After a Thanksgiving dinner for the wedding party, served at the home of the bride's parents, 418 E. Monroe, the couple left for Austin where they will make their home.

VISITS PARENTS

LA VILLA — Mrs. Bill Pettus, San Benito, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Schlotzhauer.

Hospitality In Mission Is Enjoyable

MISSION—A pleasant informal hospitality was that of Friday afternoon when Mrs. J. F. Honey entertained honoring a popular Valley visitor, Mrs. C. C. Andrews, of Celina. Mrs. Andrews, who has been honoree for a series of informal courtesies during her fortnight's visit with her daughter, Mrs. L. G. Plyler, and Mr. Plyler, left Saturday to return home. She was accompanied to San Antonio by Mr. and Mrs. Plyler and their son, Charles Grady.

Tea dainties were served during the afternoon to Mesdames Andrews, Plyler, D. W. Schulze, Leon H. Brown, W. R. Blalock, C. K. Wildermuth, E. M. Goodwin, C. F. SoRelle and R. S. Wiley, the latter of Cameron. Yellow chrysanthemums decorated the rooms.

Two guests were included with members of the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club when Mrs. Dan Friesen entertained the group this week.

Miss Mary Atkins of McAllen and Mrs. M. E. Baggett were the guests. Member players were Miss Mary Vaiden Wood, Mrs. C. E. Langston, Mrs. W. F. Oakes, Mrs. Glen Buckner, Mrs. Leon Scott, Mrs. Frank Keller, Mrs. David Wood, Jr., and Mrs. Norton Boyd.

Score honors were claimed by Miss Wood and Miss Atkins for high and second high, respectively.

Dainty refreshments were served after the games.

Christmas Bazaar Set Friday By Methodist Units

BROWNSVILLE — A Christmas bazaar will be held by members of the Lucy Rae and Young Matrons circle of the First Methodist Church Friday in front of the J. C. Penney Company store.

Attractive and practical articles, suitable for Christmas gifts will be on sale. Mrs. James E. Haywood has been named chairman of the event.

To San Antonio

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs Frank Berwald departed Wednesday evening for San Antonio where they spent Thanksgiving. They made the trip by car.

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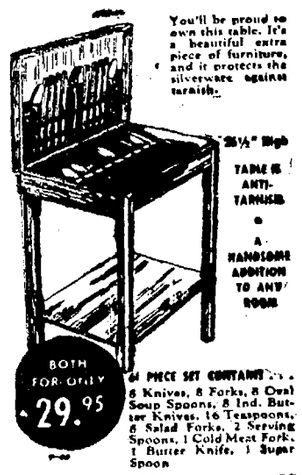

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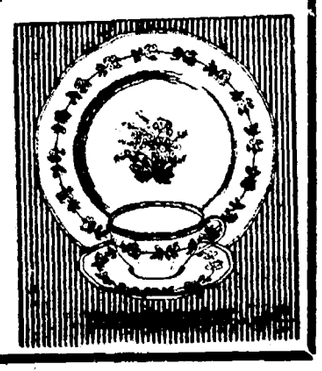

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This 'n That

By MINNIE GILBERT

WITH December's arrival the fiesta season is officially under way in the Rio Grande Valley.

First of the colorful fiestas that residents have developed for their own pleasure but may develop into major tourist attractions will be Donna's Dia Grande.

Because Dia Grande sponsors chose to give the biggest play to a spectacular pageant publicizing the Bougainvillea Trail, the Donna fiesta will afford a valuable service by educating residents regarding the origin and early history of the colorful shrub that will soon dominate the Valley landscape.

NATIONWIDE publicity has become a taken-for-granted feature of Weslaco's unique fiesta set for December 11-12.

The breath-taking style show presenting models wearing costumes made of Valley products, such as citrus, carrots, flowers, or corn annually attracts cameramen for nationally known motion picture news services.

Yet, there is a very large percentage of Valley citizens who have not seen the annual parade of costumes that represent hundreds of hours of patient work on the part of members of clubs sponsoring models.

AND, with the task of completing costumes for the Weslaco Birthday celebration—the 21st this year—it's not too early to be considering a costume to wear in February during Charro Days, the Valley's newest and most brilliant fiesta.

So far, costuming has been limited principally to Brownsville, the home of the fiesta, and nearby Matamoros, with residents drawing principally upon the numberless regional costumes of Mexico for inspection.

With a little encouragement, residents of other Valley towns would attend the carnival wearing costumes instead of merely as spectators.

To lend variety, residents of the newer Valley towns—infants compared with Brownsville and Matamoros—could reproduce costumes of early settlement days, choosing ranch type clothes or the heavy boots and khaiki with brush jackets worn by engineers, contractors, and others who shared in transforming the native jungle to irrigated farm lands.

NO, calendar of fiestas, of course, would be complete without mention of Mission's annual Citrus Fiesta, one of the oldest and most successful celebrations enjoyed by Valley reidents and visitors.

THERE can be no grounds for complaint this season that local stores do not afford opportunity for Valley women and girls to wear pastel and light colors that might be expected in a winter resort section.

From time to time the past few years, leaders have urged the Valley's population to wear summerlike attire in shirt-sleeve weather whether the calendar reads winter or spring.

But, the catch has been that costumes offered in Valley stores were all dark; the type being sold throughout the country.

This year the designers decided muted, soft pastels would look well under dark coats and they've turned them out in fascinating array.

Yet, the dark, somber colors predominate about eight to one in any gathering of Valley women, regarduess of whether temperature is eighty or fifty.

Garden club members over the Valley are hoping that all women and girls will acquire at least one light-colored outfit to wear during the state garden club convention next March.

IF Valley gals adopt the Hollywood craze for ornaments of "jungle lace"—the stuff wrapped by nature around trunks of palm trees—maybe all the shaggy, dead leaves will be clipped from Valley palm trees.

Style setters at Palm Springs and other desert vacation spots are introducing novelty by wearing buttons, belts, and gay flowers for the lapel made of the filagree-like ravelings from the palmetto trunks.

Nothing, it seems, helps more to lend a tidy look to the Valley's landscape than a much-needed haircut for the towering palms that line the highways.

FLOWERS for the lapel or hair just placed on the market are made of the plastic used for the transparent shoes but done in jewel colors.

A Valley woman had the electric washing machine half full of clothes early Friday before she realized the day after Thanksgiving wasn't Monday.

FRIENDS of Mrs. Mable Peebles are so enthusiastic over the pottery dolls she makes that they're urging her to give all her time to it. Two are exhibited in a Harlingen window a part of the exhibit of work by artists in observance of National Art Week.

MRS. Roy Porter added further to her laurels during a recent hunting trip near Kerrville by bringing down a 10-point buck. Mrs. Porter reports more women are becoming interested in shooting and believes it's a sport destined for increased popularity with her sex.

Street address of the W. D. Carlisle's, who recently landed at their first mission post in Montevideo, is Calle Colorado, 1876 instead of the address given in their account of their trip published last Sunday. Mrs. Carlisle is the former Miss Ruth Newport of Combes.

ON HOLIDAY VISIT

SANTA ROSA—Luther Bookout, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bookout of this city, visited his family and friends here during the Thanksgiving holidays. Young Bookout is a student at the University of Texas.

Valley Guest Honored

Miss Ruth McCormick of Houston has been much feted during her visit in Edinburg with her aunt, Mrs. Erin McAskill. Included in the round of hospitalities for the visitor have been events in Weslaco and other towns. (Kerr Studio.)

Miss Lucille Chandler, Jack Tebbe To Pledge Vows On December 27

(Picture Page One)

WESLACO — Mrs. M. H. Chandler entertained with a dinner Friday at seven o'clock at the Casa de Palmas in McAllen, announcing the engagement of her daughter, Lucille, and Jack Tebbe of Craig, Colo., son of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Tebbe of Harlingen. The bride-elect, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Chandler, is well-known in social circles of the upper and lower Valley.

Guests were greeted in the lounge of the hotel.

The honoree was charming in an afternoon frock of black silk, trimmed with black sequins.

The dinner table was strikingly lovely. Guests were seated at one large table laid in gold organdy which had an elaborate centerpiece of golden chrysanthemums. Radiating from the mass of blossoms were streamers attached to placecards which held a tiny gold wedding bell tied with white ribbons bearing the names of the affianced couple date lettered in gold and their nuptial date, December 27.

Guests included Mrs. Foster Tebbe of Harlingen, mother of the groom-elect, and Misses Billie Marion Parks, Margaret Ann Mitchell, Betty Frizell, Mary Louise Johnston, Dorothy Lee Drawe, Katie Rogers, Mary Louise Guenther, Millicant Yoder, Betty Compere, Ruth Miller, Maydeene King, Florence Jenkines, LeLoi Williams and Pauline Marshall.

Mrs. Dixie Thrash and Mrs. Ben Wood, Harlingen; Mrs. James McElyea, Mercedes; Miss Ruth Hanuna, Gatesville, and Miss Janet Whitney, Fort Brown.

Misses Whitney, Hanna and Parks will be house guests at the Chandler home during the week end.

Weslaco Pair Hosts For Holiday Dinner

HARLINGEN—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wilson of Weslaco were hosts at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wilson, on the Combes highway Thursday evening for a Thanksgiving dinner.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Brooks, Mrs. Chastain, Neariol Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Filbert Engelbrecht and children, C. H. and Mary Lou, Janice Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wilson.

GOES TO MENARD

EDCOUCH — John Johnson, who spent the past several months at La Villa, left Tuesday for Menard where he will spend some time on a business trip.

Church Rites Read For Pair In McAllen

McALLEN — Witnessed only by a few friends, Miss Mabel Paschall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Paschall of Ardmore, Oklahoma, and Russ Carney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carney of Cuero, Texas, pledged their marriage vows Wednesday afternoon at 3 p.m. in the First Baptist church with Rev. H. W. Shirley officiating.

Poinsettias and lacy fern were used in decorating the church and formed a colorful background for the ceremony.

Before the vows were spoken organ music was played. The bride entered to the tune of Lohengrin's Wedding March. She was met at the altar by the groom.

The bride was dressed in a teal blue crepe frock with black accessories. She wore a beautiful orchid on her shoulder. Mrs. Edgar Martin, sister of the bride, was the only attendant. She also wore a dress of teal blue crepe while her corsage was of sweetheart roses. Joe Cannon was the best man.

Immediately after the ceremony the wedding party went to the future home of the bride and groom where a reception was held. Yellow chrysanthemums in a crystal bowl adorned the table. The decorated wedding cake was cut and served by the bride.

The young couple left at once for Austin where they will spend a brief honeymoon and attend the Texas-A. and M. football game after which they will return to McAllen where they will make their home. Mr. Carney is connected with the Sun Oil Company. He was graduated from the Cuero high school and from A. and M. College. The bride was graduated from the Ardmore high school.

Guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Elam, Mrs. C. E. Pratz, Misses Delana Polk, Emma Herzog, P. O. Geddie, Messers Harmon Teele and Harold Mulkey.

Family Views Game

EDCOUCH — Mr and Mrs. J. R. Wade, Aileen and J. R., Jr., left Wednesday night for Austin to attend the Texas-Aggie Thanksgiving game. Miss May Alice Gay accompanied them to Austin where to spend the holidays with relatives and Miss Mary Elizabeth Gilbert joined them in San Antonio. Howard Wade, a student at Texas A. and M. College, will return to the Valley with his family for the rest of the holidays.

Breakfast Is Jolly Affair

Mrs. John Fambrough is shown with her two sons, John (left) in his first year at school and Guy, age four, having breakfast in their pleasant home in Raymondville.

Games Party Notes Community Custom

MISSION—More than 50 persons attended the supper and games party which members of the Pastime Club planned Thursday evening at the Thanksgiving observance for residents of the Goodwin Tract and vicinity. Held at the Goodwin Lodge, the event was marked by a buffet supper and games of pinochle and bingo. The party continued an annual custom established several years ago.

Group Making Trip

LOS FRESNOS—Mrs. Hall Palmer, Miss Katheryn Holt and Miss Juanita Riney left Wednesday for points in North Texas. Mrs. Palmer will visit with her family near Belton and Miss Riney will continue to Denton where she will visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riney. Miss Holt will be a guest of friends and relatives in Waco and Center.

GO TO IOWA

SAN JUAN — Mr. and Mrs. Jas. C. Doedyns left Wednesday morning for points in Iowa, where they will attend to business matters.

MRS. RICE ILL

EDCOUCH — Mrs. Cara Rice who is quite ill was removed to the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. R. Hill on Tuesday morning.

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Review To Aid Britain Set Monday

EDINBURG—Mrs. Rogers Kelley will be presented in a benefit review Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the First Methodist church. The event is sponsored by Bundles for Britain, Incorporated.

Mrs. Kelley will review "The American Way," by Kaufman and Hart. The play enjoyed a long run in New York with Frederic March and his wife, Florence Eldridge, taking the leading roles.

A short outline of the work being accomplished by the Bundles for Britain groups over the country will be presented by Rev. J. C. Lovern, new pastor for the First Methodist church, preceding Mrs. Kelley's review.

Tickets may be purchased for 25 cents from any member of the sponsoring group or late Monday evening in the lobby of the Edinburg Hotel. Tickets will not be sold at the church door.

Bakers Visit

RIO HONDO — Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Baker of Noblesville, Indiana are spending several weeks in Rio Hondo.

MRS. HOUGH ILL

RIO HONDO — Mrs. A. T. Hough is confined to her bed because of illness.

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Sparkle For Autumn

Perfectly costumed for a brilliant evening, is this Valley style-wise matron who has chosen a lovely black crepe for formal dining and dancing. Gold sequins form the lapels and pockets. The sleeves are full and draped and the fullness in front flatters any figure. (Sketched by Bette Sample.)

Long Trail To Be Unique Over South

BROWNSVILLE—Commercial as well as aesthetic benefits to be expected from completion of the Valley's Bougainvillea Trail are pointed to by Mrs. Frank Davis, publicity chairman for the project for the Valley Garden Council.

This trail, when completed, will be the world's longest flower trail whose value will rank with the sport of fishing, hunting the citrus groves climate, as a drawing card for the tourists.

Several cities and towns throughout the United States reap a plentiful reward for flower shows and trails which though small in comparison with the Bougainvillea Trail, attract visitors from near and far each year.

A few of these well-known gardens and trails are the Tyler Rose Show which lasts for three days. The Galveston Oleander Week, Mobile's Azalea Trail and the famous Bellingrath Gardens. The Azaleas bloom only six weeks in early spring. Charleston is remembered for its beautiful magnolia gardens blooming in early summer. The Peach Blossom Week has designated Weatherford, Texas, as a "must" for tourists. Then we have the East Texas Dogwood Trail in the spring showing the native dogwood. The seventeen mile Crepe Myrtle trail in Savannah, Ga., was one of the longest until the Bougainvillea Trail was originated.

These trails and shows are of short duration in comparison to the Valley Bougainvillea Trail which blooms profusely from the first of October until April 1st, and some bloom the entire year. During the tourist season from November until February, the bougainvillea is at its height of beauty.

Chosen As Model In Weslaco Revue

PHARR—Miss Daisy Ellen Polk will be one of the models presented in the Weslaco Birthday Style Show December 12. She will be the representative of the Pharr Grammar School Parent-Teacher Association. She is instructor in music in the school.

Student Visits

DONNA — Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Webb are entertaining over the Thanksgiving holidays their son, John who arrived Wednesday morning from Texas Medical School in Galveston, their daughter, Martha, who teaches in Mercedes and Jack Wetzel of Waco, a senior in Baylor University.

Wed On Thanksgiving

Marriage of Miss Vearla Mae Keene, daughter of Mrs. Ima Keene, of Raymondville and Gayle Hedrick of Raymondville, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hedrick, took place Thanksgiving afternoon. The Rev. C. H. Riddle of Weslaco officiated. The couple will reside in Weslaco where Mr. Hedrick is employed by the water district. (Holbrook Studio.)

Officers Elected By Orquida Club

HARLINGEN — Officers of the Orquida Club were elected Tuesday at a regular meeting, 419 W. Van Buren, as follows:

Miss Jovita Valadez, president; Miss Josephine Quintamilla, vice president; Miss Cristella Loya, secretary; Miss Ernestina Longoria, sub-secretary; Miss Olga Lozano, treasurer; Miss Trine Pena, assistant treasurer; and Miss Dora Alvarez, reporter.

Jesuit missionaries who first went to Paraguay even taught Italian grand opera to the Indians.

ATTEND FUNERAL

SAN JUAN—Mr. and Mrs. Clay Everhard left Tuesday for Sarcoxie, Missouri, to attend the funeral of Mr. Everhard's mother, who passed away at Ariba, Colorado. A nephew of Mrs. Everhard was buried at Sarcoxie, Friday of last week.

Over Hundred Participate In Observance

SHARYLAND—A custom which has been observed for more than a quarter - century was continued Thursday when members of the Sharyland Community Club and their families gathered at the Wimodausis Clubhouse for a dinner and program patterned after the original Thanksgiving Day.

As the women members prepared the dinner, the men held their traditional horseshoe-pitching tournament. In charge of arrangements for the day's events were Mrs. E. M. Bradbury chairman, Mrs. P. J. Sweeney, Mrs. Sigel Olson, and Mrs. F. M. DeSart.

Rev. Allen G. Roe, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Mission, gave the Thanksgiving address, which was the program feature in the afternoon. Other numbers included vocal quartette selections by Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Trapp, Mrs. Otto Jensen and Albert Hildebrand; and a vocal duet group of Negro spirituals by Rev. and Mrs. Roe.

Approximately 125 members and guests attended the event.

Morning Hike Is Enjoyed By Group

McALLEN—A group of McAllen high school girls made good use of their Friday holiday by taking an early morning hike as far as the swimming pool where they fixed their lunch.

Among the girls were Rosemary Jones, Shirley Wiederhold, Jean Myatt, Nanelle Posey, Lillian Crist with Pauline Rigney, hostess for the event.

Yule Party Slated

DONNA — Tuesday afternoon the Wide Awake Home Demonstration Club met for a business session in the Club Women's Building. Detailed plans were made for the club's annual family Christmas dinner, December 19. After certain of the "lovegivers" had presented their gifts the hostesses, Mrs. I. B. Boyer and Mrs. O. C. Snell, Jr., served gingerbread, whipped cream and coffee to ten members and one guest, Mrs. W. W. Straeter.

Reception Friday Night Honoring Bridal Couple Has Attractive Setting

LA FERIA—Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Sommer entertained Friday evening with a large informal reception at their home to honor Mr. and Mrs. Norman M. Sommer of Los Fresnos whose marriage was an event of Friday, November 22. Mrs. Sommer is the former Miss Pauline Routon and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Routon of La Feria. Mr. Sommer is the son of the host couple.

The reception rooms were decorated with quantities of white chrysanthemums in pleasing arrangement.

The guest book was in charge of Miss Annette Dowd.

Guest list for the hospitality included about 150 friends of the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Sommer are residing at Los Fresnos where Mr. Sommer is a member of the school faculty. She attended Louisiana State University and Mr. Sommer, a graduate of Texas A. and I. college, Kingsville, has taken post graduate work at the University of Texas where he expects to receive his master's degree next summer.

Circle Chairmen For Year Announced

HARLINGEN—The devotional on Thanksgiving was given by Mrs. Van R. Wiggins at the meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service held Tuesday at the Methodist church. In presenting the topic "Thanksgiving," Mrs. Wiggins stressed five main forces in every life; namely, church, country, useful work, health, and friends.

New circle chairmen for the coming year were announced as follows: Mesdames F. H. Chiswell, C. W. Clift, Robert McNabney, Powell Baker, C. E. Thompson, and Ed Sandell.

Mrs. W. B. Pitts was appointed sponsor for the young matrons circle.

La Feria Guests From Pecan Gap

LA FERIA — Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cockrell and son, James, and James Sandlin of Pecan Gap, Texas, were Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Scoggins of La Feria.

Mrs. Cockrell and Mr. Scoggins are brother and sister and had not met in six years. The visitors were much impressed by their first visit in the Valley.

Dinner Is Today

ALAMO—There will be achicken dinner and party Sunday at 5 p. m. at St. John's church in Alamo. Everyone is invited.

Club Council Plans Quarterly Meeting

McALLEN — The Valley Child Study Club Council will hold its quarterly meeting at McAllen Wednesday, opening with a luncheon at 12:30 p.m. at the First Methodist Church.

An afternoon program will be presented with Mrs. Harold Brehm the feature speaker on "Christmas for Children in Other Countries." Mrs. Henry Erdmann is president of the local club.

City Federation Meeting Slated

McALLEN—The McAllen City Federation of Women's Clubs will meet December 3 at 9:30 a.m. at the First Methodist Church.

Hostess clubs will be the Child Study Club and the New Idea Club, featuring a program on the Bible. "Women of the Bible" will be the topic of the day.

Calendar

BROWNSVILLE

MONDAY

Beta Sigma Phi pledge meeting at 7:30 p.m. followed by regular session at 8 p.m. at the home of Miss Inez Brulay.

Executive board of the Presbyterian auxiliary at 3:30 p.m. at the church.

Shower for Pharr Institute at Methodist circle meetings at 3 p.m. as follows: one, Mrs. M. D. Council; two and three at the church; Young Matrons, Mrs. James Haywood; Lucy Rae, Mrs. C. H. Harden.

Episcopal Woman's Auxiliary at 2 p.m. at the parish house.

Christian Women's Council in circles for industrial day as follows: one, at church; two, Mrs. F. I. Bretz; three, Mrs. J. M. George; four, Mrs. Herman Loop.

Hope Chapter 124, O.E.S., at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple.

TUESDAY

Athenian Club with Mrs. Paul Ellington.

Treble Clef with Mrs. A. B. Brown.

Evening circle of the Presbyterian Church at 8 p.m. with Miss Bertha Leonard.

WEDNESDAY

Penny supper at the Central Christian Church.

Self-Culture Club with Mrs. V. L. Conrad.

Wednesday Evening Bridge Club with Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Stephens.

Wednesday Study lub with Mrs. G. E. Lauver.

THURSDAY

High school and junior high school P.-T. A. at 3:30 p.m. in room 209 in the school.

Magruder-Ford chapter of the UDC at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Fanny D. Putegnat.

Olmito Modern Priscilla Club with Mrs. Wilbur Dickenson.

Alpha Study Club at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. R. A. Hightower.

Thursday Evening Bridge Club with Mr. and Mrs. John Dutro.

Junior Self-Culture Club with Mrs. Frank Mathers at the Randall Mathers home.

Mexican supper benefit for Bundles for Britain between 5 and 8 p.m. at the Central Christian Church.

One-man art exhibit by Mrs. Si D. Ray, and tea between 3 and 5 p.m. at the Chamber of Commerce by the Brownsville Art League.

FRIDAY

Literature and Arts Review Club with Mrs. F. W. Hofmokel at 9:30 a.m.

Bazaar by the Young Matrons and Lucy Rae circle in front of the J. C. Penney Company store.

Pan American Round Table luncheon and program at 1 p.m. at El Jardin Hotel.

SATURDAY

Christmas party for members of the Ft. Brown chapter, Daughters of the Texas Republic at 3 p.m. with Mrs. L. K. Morris.

Chairman

Mrs. J. S. McManus is director for the Doll Buggy and Pet Parade to be held Friday afternoon as a feature of the annual Weslaco Birthday party.

Music Students At T.S.C.W. Honored

MISSION—Two Mission girls who are attending T.S.C.W. at Denton, will participate in the Silver Jubilee of the music department of the college, December 9. Miss Verna Beaver and Miss Helen Card are members of the choral and symphony units, respectively, of the music department.

Miss Card, a freshman student, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Card. Miss Beaver is the daughter of Mrs. Jack Collins. A sophomore student, Miss Beaver plays the oboe in the symphony concert which will climax the music celebration.

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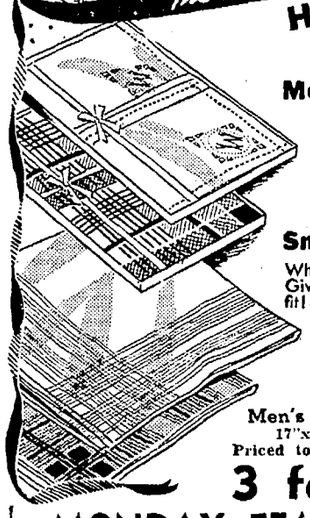

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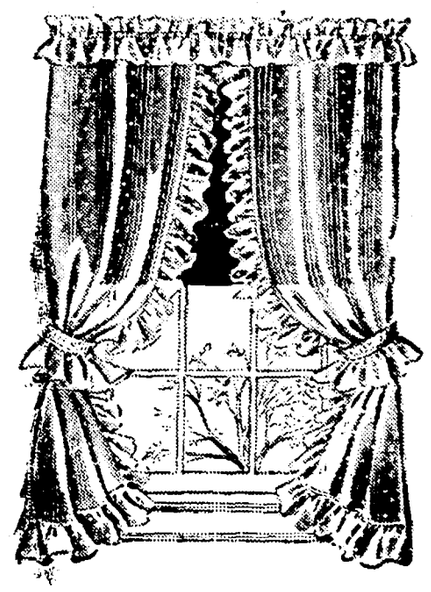

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rowns Arrive

BROWNSVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, Sr., of Corpus Christi are guests of their son, William Brown, Jr., and Mrs. Brown. The two arrived for the Thanksgiving wedding of their son, R. E. Brown and Miss Elsie Hahn of Harlingen.

HARLINGEN—Miss Mary Elizabeth Challes is spending the week-end in Austin with friends and attended the Texas-A. and M. football game.

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Mrs. Geo. Fleming Hostess For Club

PHARR — Mrs. George B. Fleming, Sr., was hostess to her bridge club Tuesday afternoon.

Yellow chrysanthemums were used for decoration.

High score trophy was awarded to Mrs. Marvin Evans. Refreshments at conclusion of the delightful affair to Mesdames T. A. Wall, Stanley T. Melton, Marvin Evans, K. J. Scott, A. A. Kelley, Roy Barnes, E. C. White, and Bryce Ferguson.

Go To Austin

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wiech, and Mr. and Mrs. William Scanlan departed for Austin where they attended the Texas-A. and M. game.

MAKES HOLIDAY VISIT

DONNA — Miss Sally Weaver of Donna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weaver is spending the Thanksgiving holidays in Houston and Port Arthur.

GUESTS FROM WACO

MISSION—Guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Nethery for the past week were the former's niece, Mrs. J. S. Dumas, and Mrs. Nethery's sister, Mrs. Adah Bee Henderson, both of Waco.

Weslaco Couple Wed 50 Years To Be Honored By Hospitality Today

WESLACO — An affair of wide interest will be the reception this afternoon given to honor Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy Scott in recognition of their golden wedding anniversary which will be reached December 11, 1940. The event is being given by members of the Llano Grande Home Demonstration club, with Mrs. H. J. Allen, president, and Mrs. W. A. Black as hostess, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McBride.

Exquisite arrangements of gold and white chrysanthemums in gold and white bowls have been chosen to decorate the home.

Receiving the guests will be Mr. and Mrs. McBride, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kidwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Scott.

Mrs. Paul Thompson is to be in charge of the guest book, an attractive booklet designed and made by Mrs. J. L. Roberts, as a gift to the honored couple. Each guest is to receive a boutonniere reflecting the gold theme.

The gold and white colors are repeated in the lace laid refreshment table which has a gorgeous arrangement of gold and white chrysanthemums, with a miniature bridal couple. Presiding at the board will be Mrs. L. W. Cross and Mrs. H. B. an Vlewt, both club members who have celebrated their golden weddings.

A delightful musical program is to be presented during the reception hours, from three to five o'clock.

The couple was married December 11, 1890 at St. Ansgar, Iowa by the Rev. A. A. Thayer. Mrs. Scott was born during the Civil War at Rio, Wisconsin 76 years ago; the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bundy. Her father did not see her until she had ridden to Iowa on her mother's lap in a covered wagon driven by her uncle.

Mr. Scott, who is 81, also was born near Rio, Wisconsin but did not go to Iowa until several years later. It was there that they became acquainted.

The couple bought land in Weslaco in 1919 and spent their first winter here in 1935. In 1937 they moved here to make their home.

The couple has two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Merwin, Maplewood, N. J., and Mrs. W. L. Kidwell of Weslaco.

RETURN TO COLLEGE

RIO HONDO — Miss Betty Hodgkin, Miss Margaret Bullis, and Dewey Burglund, and Fred Roiz, Jr., returned to college Sunday after Thanksgiving holidays.

FAMILY REUNITED

DONNA — Mr. and Mrs. Truax and family went up to Austin for the Texas-A. and M. game played in Austin on Thursday, where they met their son, Bruce, who is a student at A. and M. and brought him home after the game for the remainder of the holidays.

Valley Beautiful

Freeze Protection

By GEORGE H. PLETCHER, Jr.

BANKING THE SOIL high into the branches of young shrubs in early fall and leaving it till spring is the best way to prevent the loss of your plants by freezing. If the plants are well banked a good freeze is usually very beneficial to most plants, as it forces lazy and inexperienced gardeners to remove frozen wood back to soil bank, which in many cases is too old to bloom. Large shoots of fresh new wod is formed and an abundance of flowers follow.

In some of the finer yards smudge pots are used with good results. Protection of flowers and shrubs from white frost can be done by thoroughly irrigating the flower beds and shrubs the night before the cold.

A sprinkler throwing a light mist over a favorite shrub grouping of flower bed during the frost time will give 100 per cent protection. The sprinkler should usually run from about 3:00 a. m. till sun up. Burlap bags or newspapers are good frost protection. Irrigation, sprinkling and covering are good protection from frost but for freeze loss (or temperature below 32 degrees) banking or smudges are necessary.

NEXT WEEK: Fertilizing Your Annuals.

Guests In Donna Are Being Feted

DONNA — Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Puryear had as their Thanksgiving guests Mr. Puryear's mother, Mrs. Laura Puryear, and his sister Miss Annie Glenn Puryear both of Memphis. Mrs. Puryear and her daughter are enjoying many charming informal hospitalities during their fortnight's stay. Thursday was spent by the entire family with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Puryear, Jr., and Douglas III, in McAllen.

NOTICE

Copy for Brownsville society articles was lost in transit this week. Stories which were reported but fail to appear in today's Star-Monitor-Herald will be carried in The Brownsville Herald Monday afternoon.

Hobby Group Aids Red Cross Sewing; Plans Gift Basket

HARLINGEN — Chrysanthemums from the hostess' garden in colors of orchid and white were used for decoration Wednesday when Mrs. J. B. Lankford entertained the Hobby Group at her home on West Pierce. A delicious luncheon was served at one o'clock.

Prizes in a Thanksgiving menu game were awarded to Mrs. Charles Blakeney and Mrs. J. B. Bradford.

Plans were made for a shower of canned goods to be used to fill a Christmas basket for a needy family.

Mrs. N. B. Lackland announced that the bougainvillea shrub purchased by the Hobby Group, has been planted on the grave of the founder and sponsor of the group, the late Mrs. W. H. Hall.

The afternoon was spent in sewing for the Red Cross.

Present were Mesdames N. B. Lackland, J. B. Bradford, H. M. Dunaway, J. B. Sanders, A. B. Ewing, Tom Bowman, Charles Blakeney, Ivan Hamilton, and A. L. Hamilton, members, and Mrs. W. M. Driskill and Mrs. J. B. Moore, guests.

O.E.S. Chapter To Fill Basket

HARLINGEN—Eastern Star members will fill a Christmas basket for a needy family instead of staging their usual gift exchange this season, it was decided Thursday night at the regular meeting at the Masonic Hall. Each member is asked to take an article of canned goods or other food.

Invitation was extended to chapters of Brownsville, Mercedes, and Weslaco to meet with the Harlingen chapter December 12.

Mrs. Josephine Barron, past worthy matron from Georgetown, was a special guest.

Mrs. Mary M. Bowers, worthy matron, had charge of the meeting.

Military note: Dresses with epaulettes now are being sold.

Heads Edinburg Rainbows

Miss Marjorie Bonner recently was installed as worthy advisor for the Edinburg chapter of the Order of the Rainbow for Girls. Miss Bonner, a favorite with the younger college set, is a student at Edinburg Junior College and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bonner of Edinburg. (Kerr Studio)

Aggies Arriving

DONNA — Donna students drifting in from A. and M. for the Thanksgiving recess. Duane Martin, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lillard Martin arrived on Wednesday morning. Truman Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Cox also of Donna arrived on Wednesday morning too. Virgil Kennedy a member of the A. and M. Band arrived early Friday morning, staying in Austin for the game on Thursday.

ATTEND GAME

MISSION—Among Mission people who were in Austin this weekend to attend the football game were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brune, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McHenry, Mrs. Gladys Pratz, W. E. Wood, A. F. Volz, Walter Volz, T. B. Hoffer, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Braden, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dooley, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Buescher.

Cromacks Depart

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. F. Davis Cromack and her young son, Dan, have joined Mr. Cromack in San Antonio to make their home.

WEDDING FRIDAY

RIO HONDO — Miss Elizabeth Gardner, of Dallas, and Mr. Doyle Parmer motored to Dallas where they were to be married November 29.

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Miss Jo Ella Baumgart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Baumgart, will represent Mercedes as one of the bridesmaids in the Bougainvillea Pageant during the Dia Grande celebration at Donna on March 6.

Miss Charlene Avant will model the Mercedes costume in the colorful Weslaco Birthday Style Show on December 11 and 12. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Avant. Mercedes entry in the costume pageant will be sponsored by the Mercedes Business and Professional Womens Club.

ON HOLIDAY VISIT

LOS FRESNOS—Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Parrish are spending the Thanksgiving holidays in Corpus Christi and San Antonio.

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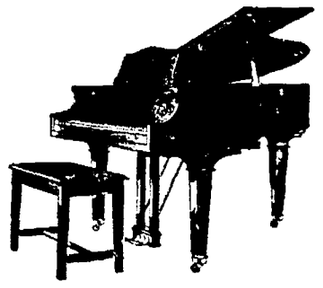

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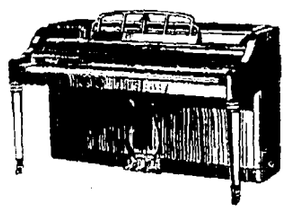

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HUNTERS: Small light 2-wheel trailers for 2 or 4 persons. Equipped for hunting. A-1 Condition. $95 and $125. 1913 Highway, McAllen.

FOR SALE: Bargain. Three trailer houses. 5th house north on Depot road, McAllen. Clara Crosby.

2. BUSINESS OPPOR.

2a. Business for Sale

FOR SALE: $1650 six per cent vendors lien note. No discount. Box C-154, Monitor, McAllen.

HOUSE TRAILER and automobile, ready to travel. Will trade for acreage. Box A-99, Star, Harlingen.

FOR SALE: Small stock of ladies' ready-to-wear and fixtures complete for new ideal location in one of Rio Grande Valley's best towns. Confidential. Box M-31, Monitor, McAllen.

FOR SALE: Tourist court. Rooming house, cafe, grocery store, service station. All making money. Also some good business and income property. 30-acre heavy bearing grove, with 20 acres oranges, 10 acres pinks and oranges. 40 acres Hamlins, Valencias and Marsh Pinks. N. E. Powell, realtor, Houser building, McAllen.

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1. AUTOMOBILES

1a. Autos for Sale

LIFETIME USED CAR GUARANTEE

1938 Ford Tudor $385.00
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Phone 312 Harlingen
"HOME OF LIFETIME GUARANTEED USED CARS"

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1937 Plymouth DeLuxe Coupe $345
1937 Dodge 4-Door Sedan $325
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1938 Chevrolet Sedan $445

Ferguson Motor Company
CHRYSLER—PLYMOUTH
Phone 1375 Harlingen 602 W. Jackson

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One of the best known automobile men around Harlingen is now in charge of the USED CAR DEPARTMENT of the Browder Motor Company, local Oldsmobile Dealer. The many outstanding values in Used Cars at Browder's is the reason for Mr. Richey making such an important move. We are also proud to announce that we have acquired the services of Pat Haynes, who always works with Richey. Pat speaks Spanish fluently and has a host of friends among the Spanish speaking people.

They both invite you to visit them at their new location at Browder's Used Car Lot, to let them show you the Many Values they have to offer.

Cars of Every Kind and Model . . . At Prices Unheard Of . . . For Instance—

1938 Buick Sedan, in perfect condition $445
1937 Chevrolet Coupe, nice $245

And Plenty More

Several A-1 1940 and 1939 Models
Cars To Fit Anybody and Everybody

Don't Fail To See What Richey and Pat Have To Show You at Browder's Used Car Lot, Across the Street from Jackon's Feed Store.

Browder Motor Company
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1940 CHEVROLET LWB TRUCK, 2 speed axle, 8.25-20 dual tires, low mileage, truck almost new. Our Price Is Sure To Please You.

1938 CHEVROLET LWB TRUCK, large stake body, overload springs, completely reconditioned motor. Priced To Sell.

1939 CHEVROLET 4-PASSENGER COUPE, extra clean, white sidewall tires. Our Low Price and Convenient Terms Will Please You.

1938 FORD FORDOR, original finish good, low mileage, a one owner car, see it for the Best Buy in the Valley.

CONVENIENT GMAC TERMS

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Phone 173 San Benito

1. AUTOMOBILES

1a. Autos for Sale

MEDLEY

1939 FORD DE LUXE FORDOR, Foxtone Grey, white sidewall tires $565.00
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1939 FORD TUDOR, new tires $365.00
1939 FORD TUDOR, radio $525.00
1937 CHEVROLET TRUNK COACH $345.00
1936 CHEVROLET MASTER COACH $245.00
1935 FORD DE LUXE FORDOR, new paint $195.00

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All Cars Furnished With Duration Of Ownership Service Policy

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1940 Buick-48 Sedan $995
1940 Buick-46 Coupe $895
1939 Chevrolet Sport Sedan $595
1940 Packard-110 Coupe $845
1939 Chrysler Windsor Sedan $795
1939 Pontiac DeLuxe Coach $645
1939 Ford "85" DeLuxe Tudor $565
1938 Buick-41 Sedan $565

Open Week Day Evenings Until 10 P. M.

LEHMAN'S
Opposite Sears, Roebuck Harlingen
Your Buick Dealer
Phone 1160

2. BUSINESS OPPOR.

2a. Business for Sale

MACHINE SHOP: One of the oldest in the Valley. Located continuously in Brownsville for more than 30 years. Owner is selling for personal reasons. Address "Machine Shop," Postoffice Box 411, Brownsville.

RESTAURANT FOR SALE
Doing good business.
Fine location in Brownsville.
PRICE: $2,500
Monsees & Stell
Merchants Bank Bldg., Phone 151
Brownsville

2b. Partners Wanted

PARTNER: Active or inactive, with $25,000 to $50,000 to finance organization of a new construction company to specialize in flood control, dams, levees, irrigation, drainage and large-scale earthwork. You furnish the capital, and I will furnish the experience the supervision. Box A-101, Star, Harlingen.

2c. Business Wanted

WANTED TO BUY: Small grocery or tourist camp for cash. Womeldorff's, 214 South Main, McAllen.

2e. Miscellaneous

TWO COLD storage meat stalls, to rent. One 4 ft. by 4 ft. $8 a month. One 5 ft. by 8 ft. $15.00 month. Shippers Service Ice Co. Donna, Texas.

4. BUSINESS SERVICES

4a. Beauty Shops

SPECIAL: Permanents $1 to $5, experienced operators. Soft water. Amaya's Shop, near Herald, phone 1605, Brownsville.

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College of Beauty Culture
Electric Hot Oil Treatment,
Shampoo and Set 40c
Facial (electrical) 50c
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All For 90c
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302 E. Harrison Harlingen

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Permanents
THIS WEEK ONLY
House Of Beauty
Sunshine and Maye
Phone 435 200 E. Jackson
Harlingen

4b. Cleaner, Hatters, Tailor

SNOW WHITE LAUNDRY special: Curtains, 20c pair; ruffled, 25c; blankets: single, 20c; double, 25c. Telephone 131, Brownsville.

4d. Builders, Contractors

BUILD NOW
Before
Prices Go Any Higher
And
While You CAN Get an F. H. A. LOAN
Plans and Estimates Furnished
Without Obligation
Taylor Lumber Co.
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Harlingen

4e. Florist, Nurseries

CHYSANTHEMUMS and roses; also complete line of flowering shrubs. Free delivery. Tropical Nursery, phone 185-J, Brownsville.

4. BUSINESS SERVICES

PLANT OUR early bearing bred-up pecan and fruit trees now. Catalog free. Bass Pecan Company, Lumberton, Mississippi.

4f. Heating, Plumbing

PLUMBING FIXTURES, general repairing. No down payment with C.I.T. financing. Mayorga Plumbing Co., phone 1644, Brownsville.

4j. Jewelers, Watchmakers, Opticians

EYESIGHT ANALYSIS and glasses made at neighborly prices. Dr. Olmstead, 415 First National Bank Building, Brownsville.

4m. Insurance

W. B. CLINE AGENCY, Insurance, 429 12th. Protect yourself now with Fire, Automobile, Windstorm Insurance. Brownsville.

4n. Roofing

CALL BROWNSVILLE Sheet Metal Works for leaky roofs and sheet metal repairs. Phone 289, Brownsville.

4o. Typewriter Rep.-Serv.

WE SELL, rent and repair all makes of typewriters. Phone 1105. Smith Typewriter Exchange, Brownsville.

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We Know We Know
TYPEWRITERS

Exclusive Sales Agent
UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITERS
SUNSTRAND ADDING MACHINES
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4q. Photo Supplies, Equip.

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BLUE PRINTING AND SUPPLIES
ONE DAY SERVICE
Blue Printing, Photo Prints, Engineering, Architect and Artist Supplies, Drafting.
107 S First St. Harlingen

4r. Upholstering

FURNITURE repaired, upholstered and refinished. Phone 464, 418 East Harrison. Belden Furniture. Harlingen.

YOUR OLD mattress made new. We make new mattresses, too. Liddell Furniture, Harlingen, San Benito, Brownsville.

FURNITURE REPAIRED, refinished. Porch curtains, slip covers. Phone 422, 900 Elizabeth. Port City Tent, Awning Co., Brownsville.

5. PERSONALS

REV. JOSEPH P. MORGAN, spiritual advisor on all business, life, health affairs daily. 825 St. Francis street, Brownsville.

6. EMPLOYMENT

6a. Help Wanted—Male

OPPORTUNITY for ambitious young man to earn part of tuition by working around school. Phone 1506, write or call in person. Durham Institute, Embee Bldg., Harlingen.

RELIABLE MAN take care store route. New plan of distribution. No selling. Earn excellent weekly income. B. and W. Nut Co., St. Paul, Minn.

WANTED: Three men needed for reliable permanent connection with good income. Must be dependable, conscientious and of neat appearance. References required. Apply Room 107, Casa de Palmas Hotel, McAllen, Monday, 10 a.m.

FILLING STATION ATTENDANT: Must be American and Brownsville resident and between 18 and 23 years. Herald, Box 18, Brownsville.

7. INSTRUCTIONS

7b. Schools, Colleges

You Are Cordially Invited To Visit

The Valley's Most Modern and Completely Equipped BUSINESS COLLEGE

Tuesday, December 3rd

At Which Time New Classes Will Be Organized In Every Department

If You Are Interested In A Thorough BUSINESS TRAINING and Have Not As Yet Registered, Phone 1506. Write or Call In Person At The

Durham Business Institute
HARLINGEN, TEXAS

6. EMPLOYMENT

6a. Help Wanted—Male

WANTED: An advertising salesman to work on commission. Must be sober, steady and reliable. Reference. Address Box 127, San Juan, Texas.

SALESMEN WANTED: We invite applications from new men, as well as old salesmen, to represent the most beautifully styled, individually tailored Spring and Summer line in America. This will be ready in early December, and consists of a hundred numbers in all wool tweeds, gabardines and tropicals, sanforized wash fabrics, spun rayons and a wide selection of sharkskin. Price ranges from $7.95 to $23.50. Liberal deposits, bonus and free suit arrangement. Write immediately. Fashion Center Clothes, Inc., Decherd, Tenn.

6b. Help Wanted—Female

OPPORTUNITY for intelligent young lady to earn part of tuition by assisting in office answering telephone. Phone 1506. Write or call Durham Institute, Embee Bldg., Harlingen.

SETTLED WOMAN of Christian character as housekeeper in country home. Three adults. Box A-100, Star, Harlingen.

FREE DRESSES
and up to $15 weekly or more showing new Winter Fashion Frocks. No investment. No experience. Send age and dress size. FASHION FROCKS, Dept. R-7477, Cincinnati, Ohio.

6c. Salesmen-Agents

WE INVITE applications from new men, as well as our old salesmen, to represent the most beautifully styled, individually tailored spring and summer line in America. This will be ready in early December, and consists of a hundred numbers in all wool tweeds, gabardines and tropicals; sanforized wash fabrics, spun rayons and a wide selection of sharkskin. Price ranges from $7.95 to $23.50. Liberal deposits, bonus and free suit arrangement. Write immediately. Fashion Center Clothes, Inc., Decherd, Tenn.

YOUR BUSINESS CAREER
selling the famous Murphy line of high class advertising.
A pioneer organization with AA rating, a national reputation for production and performance.
Our new and exclusive copyrighted line includes art calendars, indoor billboards, greetings, art blotters, fans, direct-mail, advertising pencils and other specialties.
We want reliable full time man, year round work, liberal commissions payable weekly. Also substantial bonus and prizes.
Our fifty-second line is ready. Opportune new selling season opens soon. Act quickly. Outline experience. Give three references.
THE THOS. D. MURPHY CO.
RED OAK, IOWA

6d. Help Wanted-Male-Fem.

WANTED: Male and female, to sell Watkins products in Pharr, Edinburg, McAllen and Mission. 222 North A street, Harlingen.

7. INSTRUCTIONS

7b. Schools, Colleges

STENOTYPY
(Machine Shorthand)
Byrne Simplified Shorthand
Accounting
Day and Evening Classes
Byrne System School Of Business
117½ W. Jackson Phone 1424

XMAS BOOKS FREE
Text-books will be given FREE to all December enrollments. Don't wait until January to enroll.
DRAUGHON'S BUSINESS COLLEGE
828½ Elizabeth Phone 744
Brownsville

7. WORK WANTED

8a. Situations Wanted

REFINED unencumbered widow would like place of receptionist, secretary or companion. Capable, careful driver. Box A-97, Star.

9. FINANCIAL

9a. Real Estate Loans

F. H. A. Farm Loans
Valley-Wide
To Build,
Refinance
And Repair.
GUNN INSURANCE AGENCY
1312 Beaumont Avenue
McAllen

9. FINANCIAL

9a. Real Estate Loans

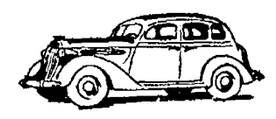
Loans
F. H. A. and Commercial Loans
R. N. Jones
217 Embee Bldg. Phone 414
Harlingen

9b. Auto Loans

$5 to $300
ON YOUR AUTO
First and Second LEIN
1 to 18 Months to Pay
Refinancing—Longer Terms
Smaller Payments
Magnolia Finance Co.
122 W. Van Buren Phone 1068
Harlingen

AUTOMOBILE LOANS
Refinancing
General Insurance
M. Bailey
Bennett Tire & Supply
Weslaco

SQUARE DEAL AUTO LOANS



BLOCKER, WHITE & DABNEY
AUTO LOANS
GENERAL INSURANCE
Phone 1320 Harlingen
Over First National Bank

9c. Personal Loans

We Have
$10,000 AVAILABLE
for CHRISTMAS LOANS
We specialize in quick loans to employed men and women, married or single.
We don't care whom you owe or what you want the money for, the loan can be arranged in just a few minutes. Call at our office or just phone 82.
Border Finance Co.
612-613 Rio Grande Bldg.
Harlingen
Rooms C and D Nelson Bldg.
Phone 1062
McAllen

10. FOR SALE

10a. Household Goods

KELVINATOR washer, 9 sheet capacity, used 10 months, cost $86.50, less than half price. Call 18, Harlingen.

FOR SALE: Child's desk and swivel chair. Mrs. A. H. Kammer, Donna, Texas.

FOR SALE: Studio couch, like new, made to order. Phone 298-J, Mercedes, or write Box 35, Mercedes.

10. FOR SALE

10a. Household Goods

Used Washing Machine
Gasoline Powered
Briggs & Stratton Motor
ONLY $45
or $1.00 per week
TOM STEVENSON
428 - 13th St. Phone 222
Brownsville

10c. For Sale, Misc.

FOR SALE: Good 2-cylinder Harley-Davidson motorcycle, $65.00. 851 SE Washington, phone 574, Brownsville.

FRESH LOAD of sweet potatoes, $1.15 bushel; apples, $1.25; pecans, 25c per pound. C. and M. Market 2 blocks west of Four Corners, Harlingen.

10e. Radio Repairs, Equip.

RADIO SERVICE: Free inspection, satisfaction guaranteed. Phil Amsler, 2123 17th street, Victoria Heights, phone 178, Brownsville.

10g. Feed and Fuel

ABOUT 100 BUSHELS of good corn for sale. One-half mile north McColl road, McAllen. C. McNallie.

10h. Machinery, Equipment

We Have
New and Used
TRACTOR PARTS
For All Makes and Models
At Big Savings
LEHMAN'S
Across from Sears Phone 1160

11. LIVESTOCK

11a. Dogs, Cats, Pets

FOR SALE: Order a pair of Love Birds for Christmas. All colors. $3.00 a pair. Mrs. A. H. Kammer, Donna, Texas.

FOR SALE: Registered Chows, two months old, sired by Ping Pong. Dr. Mary Headley-Edgerton, Rio Grande City, Texas.

CHIHUAHUA PUPPIES for sale. Small males at stud. H. A. Pate, 1½ miles North Alamo road, Alamo, Texas.

11b. Horses, Cattle

FOR SALE: Pair of work mules. Mrs. Simmons. White Ranch road, ½ mile south Combes Hiway.

DAIRY AUCTION
COMING SOON
Watch this paper for one of the biggest and best dairy sales in the Valley.
Selling beautiful home, entire dairy and equipment, 100 cattle. Complete sell-out.
PARKER AUCTION CO.
Harlingen

11c. Poultry Supplies

FOR SALE: Our high quality baby chicks Tuesdays and Fridays. Also started chicks. Fisher Poultry Farm and Hatchery, Raymondville.

Started Chicks
Two-Three & Four Weeks Old
CUSTOM GRINDING AND MIXING
F. G. Jackson
FEED STORE
119 No. Commerce Harlingen

11e Auctions

LIVESTOCK AUCTION
Every Thursday 10:30. Livestock at this sale is selling very satisfactory to buyers and sellers. Have sold over 700 white-face Hereford feeding calves, will have 65 more Thursday. Good demand for butcher hogs and cattle, milk cows are on the upgrade and all classes steady. Consignors get your offering in early Thursday—the buyers will be here.
PARKER'S SALES YARD
Harlingen

12. WANTED TO BUY

12a. Miscellaneous

WANTED: Cafe fixtures and equipment, part or all cash. P. O. Box 709, Harlingen.

WANTED: Wagon platform scales, 14 or 16 ft., must be in good shape for cash. P. O. Box 709, Harlingen.

10. FOR SALE **10. FOR SALE**

10a. Household Goods **10a. Household Goods**

Private and Auction Sale

Liquidating the $5,000 Stock of Furniture and Household Goods of the

Home Furniture Company
209 No. Commerce Street in Harlingen
Estate of Fred Hoch, Deceased

OPEN FOR BUSINESS MONDAY MORNING, DEC. 2nd to THURSDAY AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES

The All Unsold Goods Will Be Sold At Auction Friday Afternoon and Evening, Saturday Afternoon and Evening and Continuing Until Every Article Is Sold.

Here you will find a wonderful opportunity to purchase at unheard of prices and at your own bid, beautiful Bedroom Suites, Dining Suites, Living Room Suites, Dressers, Chests of Drawers, Highboys, Beds, Springs, Mattresses, Pillows, Baby Beds, Stoves, Ranges, Heaters, Rockers, Occasional Chairs, Daybeds Studio Couches, Davenoles, Kitchen Equipment, 150 Rugs and Floor Coverings and 1000 other new and used articles in a well balanced stock.

Valley folks, here is your opportunity . . . our orders are to SELL WITHOUT RESERVE. Come and get your selections early.

PARKER AUCTION CO., Mgrs.
Col. R. E. Parker, auctioneer Spud Parker, clerk

12. WANTED TO BUY

12a. Miscellaneous

WILL PAY cash for old style Letter Press. Phone 123. B. I. Martin.

WE BUY CORN
TRY
GRIMSELL
POULTRY FEEDS
DAIRY RATION
Mfg By
FRANK GRIMSELL
SEED CO.

13. LOST & FOUND

LOST: Pair of spurs at Arroyo Rodeo Arena. Finder please return to Charlie Whitney at the Valley Morning Star office for reward.

LOST: Saturday, man's leather jacket. Return to 110½ East Jackson, Harlingen, for reward. Mrs. E. W. Smith.

LOST: Billfold, containing i tant papers valuable to G. H. Meyer, Port Isabel. R to Brownsville Herald, Brow ville.

LOST: Scottie, black, male. Reward for return. Captain Hoy, Fort Brown, Brownsville.

14. RENTALS

14a. Apartments

FOR RENTA PROPERTY see Mrs. Ethel Parker, 109 W. Van Buren, phone 1128, Harlingen.

3 ROOM FURNISHED apartments Electric Refrigeration, linens and utilities furnished Rio Grande Courts, Harlingen.

FURNISHED BEDROOM: Innerspring mattress, kitchenette, garage, bills paid. Call at back 506 E. Harrison.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED apartments, houses. Desirable bedrooms. Listings appreciated. Mrs. J. L. Swann, phone 1160-W Harlingen.

LOVELY GUEST COTTAGE for two adults. Phone 867, Harlingen.

NICE APARTMENT and bedrooms, private bath, Innerspring mattress, bills paid. $3 to $6 weekly. 318 E. Polk, Harlingen.

APARTMENT, unfurnished, five rooms. 900 Southeast Elizabeth, block from Postoffice. $18.00. Carlos G. Watson, Brownsville.

TWO-ROOM apartment, furnished downstairs. Reasonable. Close in. 422 Southeast Levee, phone 578, Brownsville.

NICELY FURNISHED apartments, moderately priced, close in. Utilities paid. Nel-Roy, phone 642, Glenwood, phone 1512, Brownsville.

ALONSO: Nicely furnished apartments, corner Sixth and Levee. Phone 734, Mrs. Egbert, 934 East St. Charles, Brownsville.

THREE-ROOM garage apartment, furnished, reasonable. Close in. 442 Southeast Levee, or phone 578, Brownsville.

DOWNTOWN FURNISHED apartments. Newly decorated. Electrical refrigeration. All utilities paid. 1140 Washington St. Telephone 866. Philen Shipping Co., Brownsville.

14b. Rooms

FOR RENT: Close in, utility room southeast exposure, bills paid. 301 E. Polk, Harlingen.

BACHELORS DEN: Clean, modern rooms by day or weekly rates. Phone 1314-W. 513 North First, Harlingen.

DESIRABLE SOUTHEAST room, connecting bath, private entrance, refined home. Breakfast if desired. Phone 1309-J, Harlingen.

14c. Houses

FOR RENT: 6-room furnished house at 722 East Pierce. Inquire at 310 South 5th, Harlingen.

FOR RENT in Combes: Five-room house, completely modern. Call Patty Flumbing Co., 644, Hgn.

FOR RENT: 5 room brick house, double garage. 1213 E. Polk, phone or see R. M. (Dick) Loving, Harlingen.

SEVEN-ROOM cottage, modern. Electric stove, hot water heater, refrigerator. Fruit for family use. Garage. Permanent. Three miles out 14th street. Also modern, five-room garage apartment. A. C. Capron, El Jardin Hotel, Brownsville.

TWO-STORY unfurnished house. Electric lights, $12.50. Stuart Place. Inquire Helen's Fruit Stand, Harlingen.

SIX-ROOM brick house. 1222 East Harrison. $27.50. Water furnished. Phone Mrs. Dalager, 85, Harlingen.

HOUSE, furnished, six rooms. $50.00. 110 Avenue A, Riverside. Carlos G. Watson, Brownsville.

SIX-ROOM, well furnished house, a real home. Electrical refrigeration, hot water heater. Call 964, Brownsville.

14d. Room and Board

ROOM AND BOARD: Bachelors' Den, good family style meals. Modern rooms, phone 1314-W, Harlingen. 513 North First.

15. WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT: Unfurnished 5-room house in McAllen. Must be good neighborhood, first class condition. Phone Mr. Enfield, Monday Mission, 230.

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

ATTRACTIVE, freshly painted six-room modern home, large yard, shrubbery, easy terms. 1110 E. Madison, Harlingen. Phone 1121 or 1097-R.

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

FOR SALE: Seven acres, 5-room modern cottage, good outbuildings, stock and chickens included. $2,750.00. Terms. By owner, 1 mile north on Sugar road and Kansas avenue, McAllen.

HOME, seven-room brick veneer. Open for inspection from 10 a.m. to 4 p. m. Can vacate immediately. Restricted neighborhood. Terms if desired. For information phone 1174-J. 1217 East Taylor, Harlingen.

Schwingel & Swope
REALTORS

Efficient Property Management, Groves, Farms, City Property, Loans, Insurance, Rentals.

6½ S. Main St., 2nd Floor
PHONE 860 McALLEN

16b. Lots for Sale

2 LOTS, 50x150 FEET, original townsite, North McAllen. Write Box 114, Edinburg.

Money Talks

$450.00 buys good lot on Ebony drive in Los Ebanos.

$1,500.00 buys good business lot on Elizabeth Street.

$4,000.00 buys large 2-story, 3-bedroom home in Los Ebanos with breakfast room, screened in back porch and double garage.

$17,500.00 buys one of the best business corners in Brownsville with building 50 x 120 feet. Rentals now $210.00 per month.

S. C. GRAHAM & CO.
REALTORS
Phone 179 Marine Arcade Bldg.
Brownsville

16c. Farms, Ranches

FOR SALE or will trade for acreage near Harlingen, modern five room brick home in Harlingen. Inquire 722 E. Filmore, Harlingen.

FOR SALE 40 acres with 12 year old Grapefruit and orange trees. One mile Southwest of Santa Rosa, Rabb Road. Price set at a minimum. Christiansen Bros.

A BACHELOR, five miles south La Feria on pavement, has 40 acres fine land for sale. Small boxed house, new hay barn and other buildings. Alfalfa, carrots, spinach and cabbage. Farmall on rubber and equipment, all included for $4,000.00 cash. Clear, he is John Gibson.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: 40-acre grove in Edinburg. 9-year-old trees, by owner. Phone 1174-J, Harlingen.

10-ACRE TRACT: 2 acres in bearing orchard. One mile south of highway on Alta Palmas road. Priced right. Phone 1174-J. Harlingen.

FOR SALE
Ranches, Dry Land Farms
Irrigated Farms
Lake Front Homesites
LLOYD PARKER
OLMITO, TEXAS

Up And Up—
Down And Down

That is the way values went from 1920 to 1930. Then down and down from 1930 to 1940. Now, what? Well, you just watch and see. Land from $300 to $500 per acre and plenty of buyers in 1930. Only a few in 1940. Plenty of good land, yes, that $400 to $500 per acre land today can be bought from $40 to $60 per acre. You know the answer.

100 ACRES fine black sandy loam soil, Willacy county. Only $50 per acre. In cultivation. $10 per acre cash, balance terms. Let the rent pay the balance.

Beautiful 10-acre grove marsh pinks and oranges. Choice location, Adams Grdens, only $250 per acre.

5 acres beautiful grove, only $1,250 for all.

20 acres, all in beautiful grove with large six-room modern home on paved highway. Just three miles from Harlingen. Folks, this is a real bargain, all for $10,500. Just half of what it should sell for.

40 acres good land on pavement close in. Cheap house. It's a steal for $50 per acre. Only $5 per acre cash.

50 acres dry land in Willacy county, all in cultivation. It's a steal. Just think, only $40 per acre. $5 per acre cash payment.

5 acres close in on pavement Ideal for FHA home. Only $650. $15 cash, $15 per month.

6 acres, with store building, residence and stock of merchandise in Rangerville. Only $2,500 for all. Your business opportunity.

We solicit your listings in or near Harlingen.

Just call 139
Willingham Realty
Harlingen

16g. Wanted to Buy

HOUSE AND LOT or house and small acreage near Harlingen, for cash. Box 805, Harlingen.

16i. Land for Trade

PLEASANT SURPRISES: 1500 acres pasture land for sale, fronting about three miles concrete highway, 13 miles Brownsville. No improvements, $7.50 acre. T. J. Clay, Northwest 13th St., opposite City Power Plant, Brownsville.

17. NOTICES

17d Professional Notices

DR. D. C. ROUGEOU
DENTIST
209-210 Baxter Bldg.
HARLINGEN, TEXAS
Telephone—Harlingen 1467

DR. E. C. HERRON
D.C., Ph. D.,
—Chiropractor—
902 Beech Ave.
1 Blk. North of R. R.
4 Blks. E. of Main — McAllen

17e. Travel Opportunities

McALLEN REYNOSA BUS LINE

McALLEN to REYNOSA	
8:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
10:00 A.M.	4:00 P.M.
12:00 A.M.	6:00 P.M.
	8:00 P.M.
Saturday and Sunday	11:00 P.M.
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9:00 A.M.	3:00 P.M.
11:00 A.M.	5.00 P.M.
	7:00 P.M.
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LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Salable hogs 500; total 2,500; not enough strictly good and choice hogs on sale to test conditions; few small lots 225-275 lb butchers 8.00-05; about steady; quotable top around 8.10; shippers took none; holdovers 500; compared week ago: good and choice barrows and gilts 160 lbs up 10-20 lower; packing sows mostly 35-45 off.

Salable cattle 300; calves 100; compared Friday last week: choice medium weight and weighty fed steers strong to 25 higher; all grades yearlings steady; medium to average-good grade shortfed medium weight and weighty steers fully 25 lower, instances more on dull close; extreme top on commercial steers 15.00, new high on crop; strictly prime international show "rejects" reached 16.00, about 60 loads selling at 14.25-15.25 mostly, with best light yearlings at 15.50; largely 9.75-14.00 trade on commercially fed steers, long yearlings making 14.40 and light yearlings 14.00; strictly good and choice fed heifers 50-75 higher, prime offerings reaching 13.25 and choice 12.65; common and medium kinds little changed; cows 25-50 higher, with cutters and common beef cows up most; bulls steady, and vealers 50-75 up, closing at 10.50-11.50.

Salable sheep 500; total 1,500; late Friday: mostly steady, new late sales weak; bulk good to choice native and fed western lambs 9.40-9.65, top 9.65; load 111 lbs Colorado 9.25; good to choice 104 lbs summer shorn fed lambs 8.25; compared Friday last week: mostly steady except shorn lambs fully 25 lower; week's extreme top fat lambs 9.70, closing limit 9.65, bulk good to choice native and fed western lambs scaling up to 103 lbs 9.40-9.65, load choice 111 lbs Colorados late 9.25, medium to good handyweight lambs 9.00-9.25, common natives down to 7.00; good to choice shorn and medium-pelt fed lambs 8.25-8.60; yearlings 7.50-8.05, load largely choice 90 lbs weights at 8.05; native slaughter ewes 2.75-4.50; range and comeback feeding lambs mainly 9.00-9.25, few 8.75 down.

KANSAS LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY (AP) (U.S.D.A.) Hogs salable 50, total 50, not enough offered to test values; market nominally steady; for week: Slaughter hogs mostly 25 lower; late top 5.75; packing sows 15 to 25 lower.

Cattle salable 50, total 250; no calves; for week: good to choice fed steers and yearlings strong to 25 higher; medium short feds weak; good to choice heifers and low grade cows steady to strong; other she stock steady to 25 lower; bulls strong to 15 higher; vealers 50 higher; stocker and feeder classes generally steady to strong, week's tops choice yearling steers 13.25; choice heifers 12.35; vealers 11.00; stockers 10.25; stock steer calves 10.50; bulk medium and good fed steers 8.50-11.75.

Sheep salable and total: none; for week: sheep strong to 10 higher; lambs 15 to 25 lower; week's top native lambs 9.50; many shipments fed lambs and wheat pasture arrivals 9.25-40; closing top 9.25; best natives 9.00; fed shorn lambs 8.25-50; shorn yearlings late 8.85; top ewes 4.35; others 3.50-4.25; feeding lambs mostly 8.25-85; fleshy kinds upward to 9.25.

OKLAHOMA LIVESTOCK

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) (U.S.D.A.) Cattle salable and total 25; calves 15; for the week, beef steers and yearlings steady to 25 higher; heifers shared the upturn on yearlings; cows, canners and cutters 25-50 higher; bulls steady; vealers little changed; slaughter calves strong to 25 higher; stocker selling weak; spots 25 lower; week's prices practical top 11.50 paid for 897 lbs. yearlings; odd head choice steers up to 13.25; liberal quota good steers and yearlings 10.00, 10.25 and 10.50; medium and good short feds 8.50-9.55; plain quality warmed up steers 7.25-8.00; light heifers to 10.00; beef cows 5.50-7.00; canners and cutters 3.50-5.00; bulls 5.00-6.25; vealer top 10.00; calves 5.00-9.00; stockers mostly 6.00-9.00.

Hogs salable 150, total 1,300; cleanup trade for packers at prices 5.10 lower; top 5.75; most sales 180-270 lbs. butchers 5.65-75; lighter weights on down to 5.35 and below; odd sows 5.25; for the week butcher hogs 10-25 lower; closing at the full decline; packing sows 25—mostly 50 lower.

Sheep salable and total 25; for the week, fat lambs 25 higher, top 8.75; most good and choice lots 8.50-75; throwouts down to 7.00; clipped lambs down to 7.50; fat ewes 3.00-50.

TEXAS LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle, salable and total 250; calves, salable and total 300; Saturday's trade nominal. Compared close last week: practically all classes of cattle 15-25c higher, calves steady; top mature beef steers 10.50, yearlings 10.25, heifers 10.00, practical top beef cows 6.50, cutters downward from 4.25; bulls up to 6.00; few killing calves over 8.50; best stock steer calves 10.25, stock heifer calves 9.00, yearling stock steers 9.00, stock cows 6.25.

Hogs, salable 400, total 500; around 10-20c lower than Friday's average; top 6.00 paid for most good and choice 190-300 lb averages; city butchers not buying; good 150 lb weights down to 5.25; packing sows steady at 5.00-50. Compared with week ago, good butchers mostly 25c lower.

Sheep, salable and total 50; Saturday's trade nominal. Compared with last week's close: Fat lambs and feeders strong to 25c higher; other classes steady; bulk medium to good wooled fat lambs 8.00-50; top choice lambs 9.00; summer shorn lambs up to 8.00; wooled yearlings 7.50 down and shorn yearlings mostly 6.50 down; fall shorn yearlings 6.75, wooled two-year-old wethers 6.50 down and shorn aged 5.50; wooled aged wethers 4.50-5.00; shorn aged wethers 3.50-4.00; wooled ewes up to 3.75; feeder lambs 8.50-7.50.

BOSTON WOOL

BOSTON (AP) (U.S.D.A.)—The Boston wool market was mostly very slow during the past week. Only scattered small sales were closed on domestic wools and demand for South American wools showed a considerable slackening in volume compared with activities during the first three weeks of November. Quotations were steady on western grown domestic wools while small quantities of fleeces were occasionally slightly easier. Graded combing bright fleece wools were quoted, grease basis, at 45-46 cents for fine Delaine, 44-45 cents for half bloods and 45-47 cents for three eighths and quarter bloods

DAY'S NEWS OF NATION'S MARKETS

By FREDERICK GARDNER

NEW YORK—(AP)—While the stock market ended the month and the week with sizable net losses, buying of steels and selected industrials in Saturday's brief session gave the list a moderate recovery tinge.

Prices edged forward at the start, then faltered and came back. Gains of fractions to a point or so were retained by favorites.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks lacked on an advance of .2 of a point at 44 but on the week was off .4.

Transfers of 335,580 shares compared with 241,060 last Saturday.

The day's improvement was attributed partly to the idea of some analysts the market was "oversold. Other bullish items included word that steel mill operations in the Pittsburgh district next week would hit a new high and that last week's department store sales continued their year to year expansion.

Tax worries, as a market factor, were assuaged somewhat by announcement from Washington that no new imposts would be levied retroactive on 1940 income.

Among the better performing shares were U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, Montgomery Ward, Douglas Aircraft, American Telephone, Anaconda, Westinghouse, Du Pont, Dow Chemical, International Paper preferred, N. Y. Shipbuilding and Loew's.

NEW YORK—(AP)—
Stocks steady; steels lead selective comeback.

Bonds mixed; rails, utilities selectively bought.

Foreign Exchange quiet; Argentine peso rises.

Cotton irregular; trade, Bombay buying and hedging.

Sugar improved; covering, new buying.

Metals dull; export copper in light demand.

Wool tops uneven; December liquidation; trade and commission house support.

CHICAGO—
Wheat higher; some buying attributed to mills.

Corn unsettled; spot market weakness.

Cattle steady; large receipts this week.

Hogs about steady; quotable top $6.10.

STOCK LIST

Am M&Fdy	5	12½	12⅝	12½
Am Roll Mill	13	15?	15¼	15⅜
Am Smelt&R	15	45⅜	44¼	45¼
Am Tel&Tel	5	166½	166	166½
Anaconda	64	27⅜	27	27⅜
ATSF	6	17½	17¼	17¼
Aviation Corp	6	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
Barnsdall	3	9⅜	9¼	9¼
Bendix	6	32½	32¼	32¼
Beth Stl	30	86⅞	85⅞	86⅜
Borden Co	1	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜
Budd Wheel	2	6⅞	6⅜	6⅞
C'han Z-Lead	1	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
Case J I	1	61	61	61
Certainteed	4	5¼	5	5⅛
Chrysler	27	76⅝	76	76½
Colum G&El	10	4⅜	4½	4⅜
Consol Oil	4	6	5⅞	6
Cont Can	6	37⅛	37	37⅛
Cont Oil Del	7	19½	19¼	19½
Corn Prods	5	42¼	42	42¼
Curtiss Wri	39	9¼	9	9⅛
Douglas Aire	7	79½	77⅞	79½
El Pow&Lt	16	4⅛	4	4⅛
Freeport Sulph	2	37⅛	36⅞	36⅞
Gen Elec	22	33⅛	32⅝	32⅞
Gen Foods	5	35	34½	34½
Gen Motors	18	49⅞	49⅜	49⅞
Goodrich	6	14½	14⅜	14½
Goodyear	5	17⅜	17⅛	17⅜
Gt Nor Ir Ore	17	17½	17⅜	17½
Greyhound	1	11	11	11
Houston Oil	2	4½	4⅜	4½
Hudson Mot	2	4⅜	4¼	4⅜
Int Harv	5	55	54⅝	54⅝
Int Hyd El A	12	2	2	2
Kennecott	20	35	34⅜	34⅝
Loews Inc	23	30⅛	29⅝	30⅛
Mont Ward	13	38⅛	37⅞	38⅛
Mid Cont Pet	4	14	14	14
Nash Kel	9	5¼	5⅛	5¼
Nat Bis	8	17⅜	17⅛	17½
Nat Dairy Pr	8	13⅜	13½	13⅝
Nat Pow&Lt	3	7⅛	7	7⅛
Nor Amer Co	24	16½	16¼	16⅜
Ohio Oil	4	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞
Pac Gas&El	3	27½	27⅛	27½
Packard Mot	5	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
Pan Am Air	5	15⅝	15⅜	15⅝
Penney J C	3	88	87⅞	87⅞
Penn RR	19	22½	22	22⅛
Phelps Dodge	8	34⅛	34⅛	34⅛
Phillips Pet	5	39⅝	39⅜	39⅝
Plym Oil	1	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛
Pure Oil	10	8⅛	7⅞	8⅛
Radio Corp	14	5	4⅞	5
Sears Roeb	9	75⅞	74⅝	74⅞
Shell Un	7	10¾	10	10⅛
Simmons	2	20½	20⅜	20½
Soc Vac	25	8⅝	8⅜	8⅝
Sou Pac	8	8⅜	8⅛	8⅜
Stand Brands	10	6⅝	6½	6⅝
Stand Oil Cal	24	18	17⅜	17⅝
Stand Oil Ind	27	26	25⅞	26
Stand Oil NJ	15	34⅝	33⅞	34⅜
Stone&Web	2	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
Studebaker	11	8	7¾	8
Texas Corp	5	38⅛	37⅝	38⅛
Tex Gulf Prod	1	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Tex Gulf Sul	1	36⅛	36⅛	36⅛
Tid Wat A	10	9⅜	9⅜	9⅜
Union Carb	10	71¾	71	71
Un Oil Cal	2	13	13⅛	13⅛
United Aire	3	43⅞	43⅛	43¾
Un Carbon	1	52	52	52
Un Corp	112	1⅜	1⅛	1⅛
Un Gas Imp	38	10⅛	10	10
US Rub	12	24	23¾	23¾
US Steel	93	68⅜	67½	68⅛
Warner Bros	10	3⅝	3⅛	3⅜
West Un Tel	3	20⅜	20⅛	20⅜
West El&Mfg	3	105	104⅝	105
White Motor	1	15	15	15

STOCKS IN THE SPOTLIGHT

NEW YORK—(AP)—Sales, closing price and net change of the fifteen most active stocks Saturday:

Comwth & Sou	47,600	⅞	No
United Corp	11,200	1½	— ½
U S Steel	9,300	68¼	+ 1⅜
Param Pict	8,000	9¾	— ¼
Anaconda	6,300	27⅜	+ ⅝
Repub Stl	5,500	22½	+ ½
Int Mer Marine	4,800	10	+ ⅜
Bklyn Manh Tr	4,500	6	No
Consol Edis	4,200	21⅞	+ ¼
Curtiss Wright	3,800	9⅛	+ ¼
Uni Gas Imp	3,800	10	— ⅛
NY Shipbldg	3,400	24	+ ½
Int P & P Pf	3,300	70	+ 1¾
Beth Steel	3,000	86¾	+ 1½
Gen Pub Svc	3,000	¼	— ¼

NEW YORK CURB

Am Cyan B	36	35⅜	35⅜
Am Gas & El	29	29	29
Ark Nat Gas A	2	2	2
Bath Iron Wks	17¾	17⅝	17⅝
Bell Aire	20½	20½	20½
Brewst Aero	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜
Cities Service	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜
Crocker-Wh El M	4⅞	4⅜	4⅞
Eagle Pich	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
El Bond & Sh	4⅜	4¼	4⅜
Gulf Oil	34	33¾	34
Humble Oil	63½	63¼	63¼
Nlag Hud Pow	3⅜	3½	3⅜
Okla Nat Gas	21⅜	21¼	21¼
Unit Lt & Pow A	7½	7⅜	7⅜

BUTTER AND EGGS

CHICAGO—(AP)—Butter receipts 505,841; steady; market unchanged.

Eggs 3,767; firm; market unchanged.

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO—(AP)—Cash wheat no sales reported.

Corn No. 3 mixed 64; No. 3 yellow 63¾-64¾; No. 4, 60-63¼; No. 4 white 67½.

Oats No. 1 mixed heavy 40½; No. 1 white 41¼; No. 1 wheat heavy 41¼-½; No. 2, 41¼; No. 1 red heavy 40¾.

TEXAS GRAIN

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Fair demand prevailed for grains here Saturday.

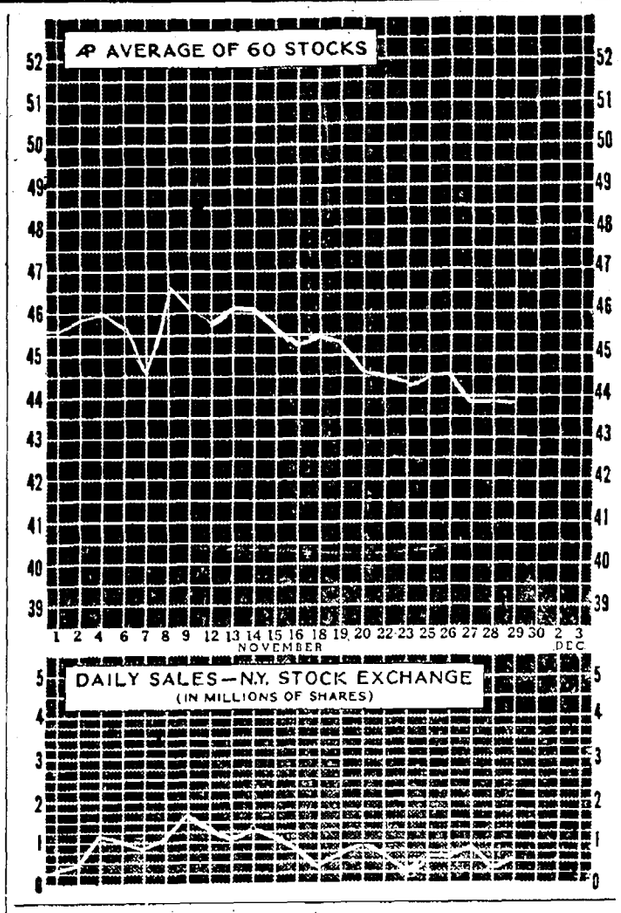
Wheat No. 1 soft red winter 97¼-98¼.

Barley No. 2 nom 61-62.

Sorghums No. 2 yellow milo per 100 lbs nom 1.13-15; No. 2 white kaffir nom 1.13-15.

Corn, shelled, No. 2 white 76½-77½.

Oats No. 3 red 46½-47½.



CITRUS MARKET

VALLEY CARLOT SHIPMENTS BY RAIL FOR FRIDAY

Grapefruit 51, Oranges 7, Mixed Citrus 8, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 1, Beets 2, Carrots 1, Dandelion 1, Peppers 2, Radishes 1, Tomatoes 7, Mixed Vegetables 14, total 95 cars.

Totals by Rail and Boat to Date This Season: Grapefruit 2678, Oranges 279, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 4, Beans 1, Beets 36, Beets and Carrots 5, Carrots 8, Cabbage 3, Greens 2, Dandelion 1, Eggplant 2, Parsley 2, Peas 1, Peppers 60, Radishes 15, Squash 2, Tomatoes 217, Mixed Vegetables 237, total 3809.

To the Same Date Last Season: Citrus Fruits 3734, Vegetables 439, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 21, total 4194 cars.

VALLEY TRUCK CITRUS MOVEMENT FOR FRIDAY
(100 Trucks)

Grapefruit: 80 lb Boxes 10280, Bushels 44, ½ Bushels 7, 80 lb Sacks 5100, 50 lb Sacks 58, 40 lb Sacks 6.

Oranges: 80 lb Boxes 7054, Bushel 818, ½ Bushels 14, 80 lb Sacks 189, 50 lb Sacks 1109, 40 lb Sacks 663, 20 lb Sacks 30, 10 lb Sacks 1070.

Tangerines: 80 lb Boxes 20, ½ Boxes 20, Bushels 230, Half Bushels 434.

Carlot Equiv Nov. 29: Grapefruit 38.6, Oranges 22.3, Tangerines 8, total 61.7 cars.

To Date This Season: Grapefruit 2414.8, Oranges 1297.5, Tangerines 12.9, total 3725.2.

To Date Last Season: Grapefruit 1530.8, Oranges 1067.9, Tangerines 13.6, total 2618.3.

AVERAGE AUCTION PRICES OF GRAPEFRUIT SOLD AND UNREPORTED FRIDAY

PHILADELPHIA: Texas Marsh Pink 831 Boxes Gen Avg 2.22, High 2.27, Low 2.08.

Texas Foster Pink 165 Boxes Gen Avg 1.89, High 1.92, Low 1.71.

Fla Marsh 1255 Boxes Gen Avg 1.77, High 1.68, Low 1.53.

Fla Other 1067 Boxes Gen Avg 1.29, High 1.31, Low 1.18.

Fla Marsh 313 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.26, High 1.40, Low 1.25.

Fla Other 420 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.06, High 1.40, Low 1.01.

BOSTON: Fla White 670 Boxes Gen Avg 1.94, High 2.36, Low 1.76.

Fla White 286 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.62.

NEW YORK: Texas Pinks 1175 Boxes Gen Avg 2.19, High 2.56, Low 1.96.

Fla Marsh 3605 Boxes Gen Avg 2.16, High 2.60, Low 1.78.

Fla Other 2520 Boxes Gen Avg 1.59, High 1.96, Low 1.42.

Fla Pink Marsh 100 Boxes Gen Avg 2.07, High 2.25, Low 1.85.

Fla Marsh 32 wire Boxes All sold at 1.90.

Fla Other 290 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.65, High 1.82, Low 1.35.

FLORIDA TRUCK CITRUS MOVEMENT FOR FRIDAY

Carlot Equiv Nov. 29: Grapefruit 15, Oranges 61, Tangerines 12, total 88 cars.

To Date This Season: Grapefruit 773, Oranges 2189, Tangerines 149, Total 3111 cars.

To Date Last Season: Grapefruit 858, Oranges 2564, Tangerines 266, total 3688 cars.

VEGETABLES

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM OTHER TEXAS DISTRICTS FOR FRIDAY

Laredo Dist: Mixed Vegetables 2, Peppers 1, total 3 cars.

Coastal Bend: Beets 1, Mixed Vegetables 2, total 3 cars.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR FRIDAY

Belle Glade, Florida—Lake Okeechobee Section:

Snap Beans: Haulings light. Demand fair, market firm. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truckloads cash at packing houses: bushel hampers, Bountifuls 80c-$1.00, fair quality 75-80c; Stringless Black Valentines $1.10-1.35, fair quality 80c-$1.00; Tendergreens $1.00-1.10, fair quality 80-95c; Wax, flat type, fair quality $1.50.

Greens Peas: Practically no haulings. Too few sales to quote.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK—(AP)—The Argentine peso rose smartly in the free foreign exchange market Saturday but the dollars of Hongkong and Shanghai remained under pressure.

The peso advanced .10 cent to 23.68 United States. The Hongkong unit dropped .06 of a cent to 23.54, or more than ¼ cent below a year ago, while the Shanghai money lost 1-20 cent at 5.95 U. S. cents.

Free sterling remained at $4.04 and the Canadian dollar at 86¾ cents.

Closing rates follow (Great Britain in dollars, others in cents):

Canada

Official Canadian Control Board rates for U. S. dollars: buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent.

Canadian dollar in New York open market 13⅛ per cent discount or 86.87½ U. S. cents.

Europe

Great Britain, official, (Bankers Foreign Exchange Committee rates), buying $4.02, selling $4.04; open market, cables $4.04; Germany 40.07N; (benevolent) 18.60; Finland 2.05N; Greece .68N; Hungary 19.77N; Italy 5.06; Portugal 4.01; Rumania .48N; Sweden 23.85; Switzerland 23.21; Yugoslavia 2.35N.

Latin America

Argentine official 29.77; free 23.60; Brazil official 6.05; free 5.05; Mexico 20.75N.

Far East

Japan 23.48; Hongkong 23.54; Shanghai 5.95.

(Rates in spot cables unless otherwise indicated.)

N—Nominal.

METALS

NEW YORK—(AP)—Copper steady; electrolytic spot Conn. Valley 12.00; export PAS NY 10.00-11.00. Lead steady; spot, New York, 5.65-70; East St. Louis 5.50. Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and forward 5.25.

COTTON

COTTONSEED OIL

NEW YORK—(AP)—Bleachable cottonseed oil futures closed unchanged to 1 higher. Sales 24 contracts. Jan. 5.82B; May 6.06B; July 6.06B.

B—Bid.

MIDDLING COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The average price of middling 15-16ths inch cotton Saturday at ten designated southern spot markets was 3 points lower at 9.71 cents a pound; average for the past 30 market days 9.59 cents; middling 7/8ths-inch average 9.50 cents a pound.

SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady 1 point lower. Sales 2,188, low middling 8.83, middling 9.83, good middling 10.33.

COTTONSEED OIL

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady; bleachable prime summer yellow 5.50, prime crude 4.62½, Dec. 5.25B, Jan. 5.34B, March 5.44, May 5.56B, July 5.57B.

B—Bid.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—Cotton futures declined here Saturday under week-end long liquidation. Closing prices were steady 1 to 2 points net lower.

	High	Low	Close
December	10.12	10.10	10.10
January	....	....	10.00B
March	10.15	10.10	10.13
May	10.04	10.00	10.03
July	9.83	9.78	9.78
October	9.27	9.24	9.26B

TEXAS COTTON

DALLAS—(AP)—Cotton 9.42; Houston 9.70; Galveston 9.73.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO (AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Potatoes; arrivals 101; on track 383; total US shipments 364; supplies liberal; demand slow; Idaho Russets slightly weaker; offering other sections about steady; sacked per cwt. Idaho Russet Burbanks US 1, 1.50-60; Nebraska Bliss Triumphs US 1, 1.57½-75; Minnesota and North Dakota Cobblers 80-85 percent US 1, 1.05-1.02½; early Ohio 80 percent US 1, 1.00; Bliss Triumphs 55 percent or more US 1, 1.00-1.17½; Wisconsin round whites US 1, 1.00.

KANSAS CITY GRAIN

KANSAS CITY (AP)—Wheat 10 cars, ¼ lower to 1 higher, No. 2 dark hard, 85½; No. 2 hard N 83¼-86½; No. 2 red 85.

Close: Dec. 82¼-¼; May 81⅞-¾; July 77⅛.

Corn 18 cars, unchanged to ¼ lower. No. 2 white N 63¼-64; No. 2 yellow 60¾; No. 2 mixed N 60¼-61½.

Close: Dec. 56⅞; May 59⅜; July 58⅝.

Oats 2 cars; unchanged to ½ lower. No. 2 white N 36½-39½.

NEW YORK BONDS

Foreign			
Ger Ext	7S	50	14½
Italy	7S	1951	43⅞
Japan	6½	54	68¾
Domestic			
Alleghany	5S	50	61
Am Ic	5½	49	104½
Am T T	5½	43	104⅝
ATSF	4S	95	108¼
B & O Cv	4½S	60	123¼
Beth Stl	3¼	50	107½
Can Pac	4S	perp	51¼
CBQ	4½	77	72½
CGW	4	50	28½
CMStP	4S	89	27½
CNW	4S	87	13½
CRIP	4½	52	53¾
Erie Rf	5S	75	171

Screen Calendar NEWS OF LATEST MOTION PICTURES Current Films

Robert Taylor and Norma Shearer in Ethel Vance's thrilling novel, "Escape," booked for showing Sunday and Monday at both the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen and the Palace Theatre in McAllen. The featured supporting cast to Taylor and Miss Shearer includes Conrad Veidt, Nazimova, Felix Bressart, Albert Bassermann and Bonita Granville.

VALLEY SCREEN CALENDAR

CAPITOL THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY, Monday: Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy in Noel Coward's "Bittersweet" with Ian Hunter and Lynne Carver. Filmed in Color. Also Texas-A. & M. Football Game.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Nancy Kelly, Allan Jones, Peggy Moran and Robert Cummings in "One Night In The Tropics" with Leo Carillo and Mary Boland. Also "March Of Time."
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: John Wayne and Thomas Mitchell in John Ford's production of Eugene O'Neill's "The Long Voyage Home" with Ian Hunter.

QUEEN THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY ONLY: Henry Wilcoxon and Carole Landis in "Mystery Sea Raider."
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Joan Crawford and Frederic March in "Susan And God" with Ruth Hussey, John Carroll and Bruce Cabot.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Raymond Massey in Robert E. Sherwood's "Abe Lincoln In Illinois" with Ruth Gordon and Mary Howard.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Charles Starrett and Marjorie Cooley in "West Of Abilene" with the Sons Of The Pioneers.

RIVOLI THEATRE, SAN BENITO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Claudette Colbert and Ray Milland in "Arise My Love" with Walter Abel, Dennis O'Keefe and Esther Dale. Also March Of Time.
TUESDAY ONLY: Baby Sandy, Stuart Erwin and Una Merkel in "Sandy Gets Her Man" with Edgar Kennedy and William Frawley.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Dick Powell and Joan Blondell in "I Want A Divorce" with Gloria Dickson and Conrad Nagel. Also: Texas-A. & M. Game.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Wayne Morris, Virginia Dale and Lillian Cornell in "The Quarterback" with William Frawley and Edgar Kennedy.

ARCADIA THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Norma Shearer and Robert Taylor in Ethel Vance's "Escape" with Conrad Veidt, Nazimova, Blanche Yurka and Bonita Granville. Also: Texas- A.&M. Football Game.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Frances Langford, Richard Carlson and Lucille Ball in "Too Many Girls" with Ann Miller and Eddie Bracken.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Marlene Dietrich in "Seven Sinners" with John Wayne, Broderick Crawford, Mischa Auer and Albert Dekker. Special: The latest "March Of Time."

RIALTO THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Victor McLaglen and Anne Nagel in "Diamond Frontier" with John Loder and Hugh Sothern.
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Lloyd Nolan and Lynn Bari in "Pier 13" with Douglas Fowley, Joan Valerie and Chick Chandler.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Cesar Romero as the Cisco Kid in O'Henry's "The Gay Caballero" with Sheila Ryan, Chris-Pin Martin and Janet Beecher.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Roy Rogers and Jacqueline Wells in "The Ranger And The Lady" with George "Gabby" Hayes and Henry Brandon.

STRAND THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Loretta Young and Melvyn Douglas in "He Stayed For Breakfast" with Eugene Pallette and Alan Marshall.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Shirley Temple and Jack Oakie in "Young People" with Charlotte Greenwood.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: John Hall and Lynn Bari in "Kit Carson" with Dana Andrews.
SATURDAY ONLY: Spanish Language Film.

STATE THEATRE, MERCEDES

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Claudette Colbert and Ray Milland in "Arise My Love" with Walter Abel, Dennis O'Keefe and Esther Dale.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Dick Powell and Ellen Drew in "Christmas In July" with Raymond Walburn and William Demarest.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy in Noel Coward's "Bittersweet" with Ian Hunter and Lynne Carver. Filmed in Color.
SATURDAY ONLY: The Three Mesquiteers in "Under Texas Skies" with Bob Livingston, Bob Steele and Rufe Davis.

RITZ THEATRE, WESLACO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Tyrone Power and Linda Darnell in "The Mark Of Zorro" with Basil Rathbone, Eugene Pallette and Chris-Pin Martin.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy in Noel Coward's "Bittersweet" with Ian Hunter and Lynne Carver. Filmed in Technicolor. Also: Texas-A. & M. Football Game.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Dick Powell and Ellen Drew in "Christmas In July" with Raymond Walburn and Esther Dale.
SATURDAY ONLY: Roy Rogers and Jacqueline Wells in "Young Bill Hickok" with George "Gabby" Hayes, Monte Blue, Sally Payne and John Miljan.

PALACE THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Norma Shearer and Robert Taylor in Ethel Vance's "Escape" with Conrad Veidt, Nazimova, Blanche Yurka and Bonita Granville.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Ann Sothern and Ian Hunter in "Dulcy" with Roland Young, Reginald Gardiner, Billie Burke and Lynne Carver.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Alice Faye and Jack Oakie, Betty Grable and John Payne in "Tin Pan Alley" with Allen Jenkins and Esther Ralston. Also: Texas-A. & M. Football Game.

QUEEN THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Anita Louise and Roger Pryor in "Glamour For Sale" with June McCloy and Frances Robinson.
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy in "New Moon" with Mary Boland.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Ginger Rogers and Kent Taylor in "The Girl From Avenue A."
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Johnny Mack Brown and Nell O'Day in "Ragtime Cowboy Joe" with Fuzzy Knight and the Texas Rangers.

"THE GAY CABALLERO"

Cesar Romero as the 'Cisco Kid' is seen in "The Gay Caballero," scheduled for showing Wednesday and Thursday at the Rialto Theatre in Harlingen. The film is based upon the famed O'Henry novel of the same title.

QUEEN BROWNSVILLE
SUNDAY ONLY
CAROLE LANDIS
IN
"MYSTERY SEA RAIDER"
WITH
HENRY WILCOXON

RIALTO HARLINGEN
SUNDAY ONLY
VICTOR McLAGLEN
IN
"DIAMOND FRONTIER"
WITH
ANNE NAGEL

STRAND HARLINGEN
SUNDAY—MONDAY
LORETTA YOUNG
IN
"HE STAYED FOR BREAKFAST"
WITH
MELVYN DOUGLAS

QUEEN McALLEN
SUNDAY ONLY
ANITA LOUISE
IN
"GLAMOUR FOR SALE"
WITH
ROGER PRYOR

John Wayne and Marlene Dietrich in the screen's romantic drama, "Seven Sinners," booked for showing Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.

Current Films

THE MUSIC of Noel Coward finds its perfect interpretators in Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy in the picturization of the Coward operetta "Bittersweet," which is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville; Tuesday and Wednesday, at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and at the State Theatre in Mercedes, Thursday and Friday.

The stars were never in better voice and never sang in a more colorful setting, for the Gay Nineties period in which the story is set is brilliantly reproduced in Technicolor.

Miss MacDonald is seen as Sarah Millick, Victorian belle, who on the eve of her wedding, elopes with her singing teacher, Carl Linden, played by Eddy. Both roles are enacted with complete ease and conviction by the stars, who are called on for no exaggerated dramatics but appear entirely natural as musicians. Miss MacDonald displays her dancing ability to gay advantage and Eddy shows his musical versatility by playing piano and violin as well as leading the orchestra on occasion.

POPULAR STARS SEEN IN NEW FILM HIT

NORMA SHEARER and Robert Taylor share co-starring honors in the dramatic screen presentation of Ethel Vance's thrilling novel "Escape," which is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at both the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen and the Palace Theatre in McAllen.

The story concerns the frantic efforts of an American son to rescue his foreign born mother from a concentration camp in Germany. The screen adaptation preserves the dramatic pace of the original novel and in addition presents Taylor and Miss Sheare,r in performances that match in persuasive perfection and power any of their previous portrayals.

The central character, "Emmy Ritter," around whose prison predicament complications arise, is played by Nazimova with Conrad Veidt, Felix Bressart and Albert Bassermann in featured supporting roles.

"ARISE MY LOVE" IS ROMANTIC COMEDY

THE STORY of an audacious newspaper woman and an aviator who speaks above the clouds with roaring machine guns brings Claudette Colbert and Ray Milland together as co-stars in "Arise My Love," which is booked for showing Sunday and Monday at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito and the State Theatre in Mercedes.

Milland plays the role of a young aviator who has been fighting with the Loyalists in Spain, is a prisoner of the Franco forces, and is condemned to be shot. Suddenly he learns that his wife has charmed the Spanish high command so efficiently that he has been pardoned, in order that he may go home with the appealing petitioner.

Since he has no wife, he is baffled . . . but appreciative when the "wife" who is a pretty American newspaper girl on the trail of a big news story. They barely get to England as the Nazi war machine gets under way to roll over Europe.

TYRONE POWER PLAYS DRAMATIC ROLE

A MASKED adventurer whose 'Z' slashed on the foreheads of oppressors of his people, strikes fear into every heart but that of the girl who loves him, gives Tyrone Power another dashing role in "The Mark of Zorro," showing Sunday and Monday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco.

Story of California in the days of the great dons, the picture tells of the odd means a young swordsman takes to rid his people of the oppression of a weakling with a cruel henchman when the lad's own father has been ousted as leader of the community. By day a wastrel and a fop, the swordsman by night becomes Zorro, most feared terror of the oppressors.

Under Rouben Mamoulian's direction is the cast topped by pretty Linda Darnell and including Basil Rathbone, Gale Sondergaard, Eugene Pallette, J. Edward Bromberg and Chris-Pin Martin.

Nelson Eddy and Jeanette MacDonald in their latest screen musical, "Bittersweet," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville; Tuesday and Wednesday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco, and at the State Theater in Mercedes, Thursday and Friday. The featured supporting cast to the popular co-starring team includes George Saunders, Ian Hunter, Fay Holden, Janet Beecher and Lynne Carver.

Citizen Army Seen In Latest March Of Time

Nation's Defense Is Also Pictured

Virtually every family in the nation is today deeply affected by the U. S. Selective Service Law, under which sixteen million young American men have already placed themselves at the service of their country. The full story of this first peacetime conscription in U. S. history, and many other phases of the nation's huge defense program, are pictured for the first time on the screen in March of Time's latest absorbing film release, "Arms and the Men—U. S. A.," which is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito; Tuesday and Wednesday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

This newest March of Time Shows—step by step—how Uncle Sam's gigantic defense program is under way which, within a few years, is destined to give the U. S. an army of five million active and reserve troops, including ten full divisions of mechanized and motorized units; a two-ocean Navy totaling more than three million tons of fighting ships; and an air force of 50,000 planes that will be superior to that of any other nation in the world.

TEXAS-A & M GAME ON SCREEN

The Texas-A. and M. game is scheduled for showing at both the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen and the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville, Sunday and Monday.

The same pictures will also be seen Tuesday and Wednesday at the Ritz Theatre, in Weslaco; the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Wednesday and Thursday; the Palace Theatre in McAllen, Thursday, Friday and Saturday and the State Theatre in Mercedes next Sunday and Monday.

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NEW LOW ADMISSION PRICES
Effective Sunday, Dec. 1st
WEEK DAY MATINEE
BALCONY (Adults) 15c
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CHILDREN (All Seats) 10c

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SOARING TO THEIR Greatest GLORY!
More stirring than "NAUGHTY MARIETTA"
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Hear 11 Glorious Melodies
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Bittersweet
with GEORGE SANDERS
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"ARISE, MY LOVE"
with WALTER ABEL
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"POPULAR SCIENCE NOVELTY"
"PARAMOUNT WORLD NEWS"
PALACE SHORTS:
"THE FULLA BLUFF MAN",
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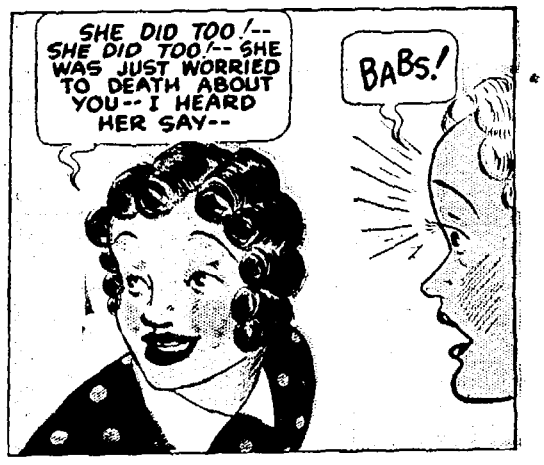

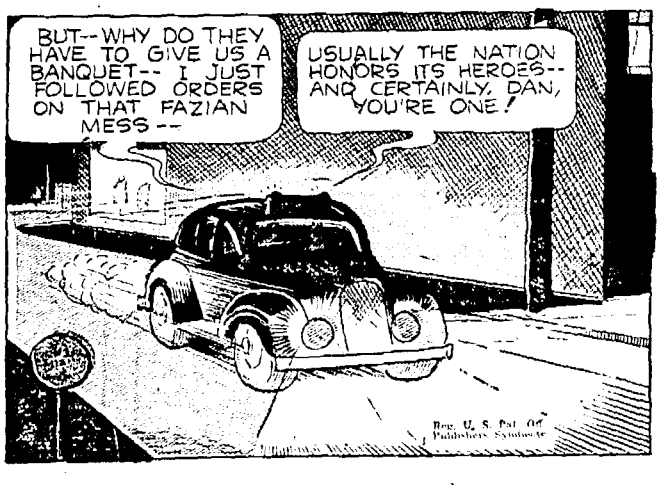

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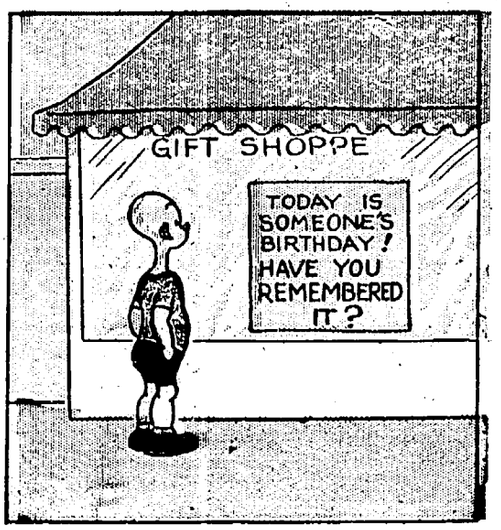

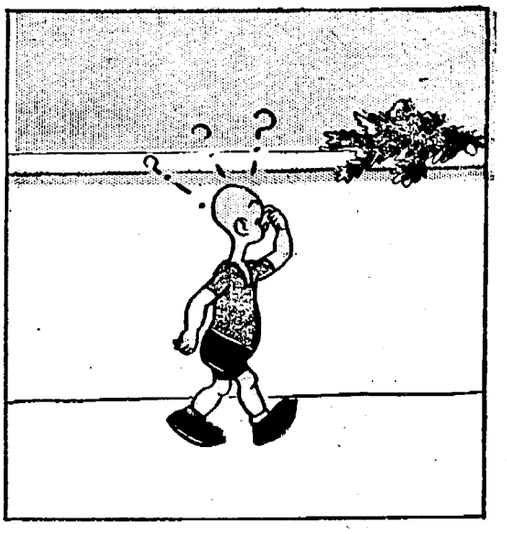

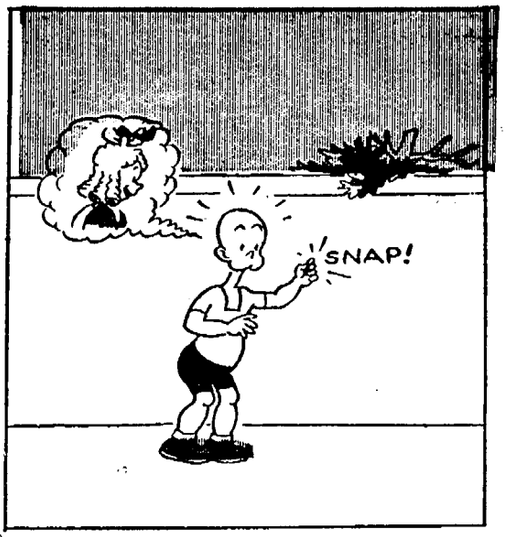

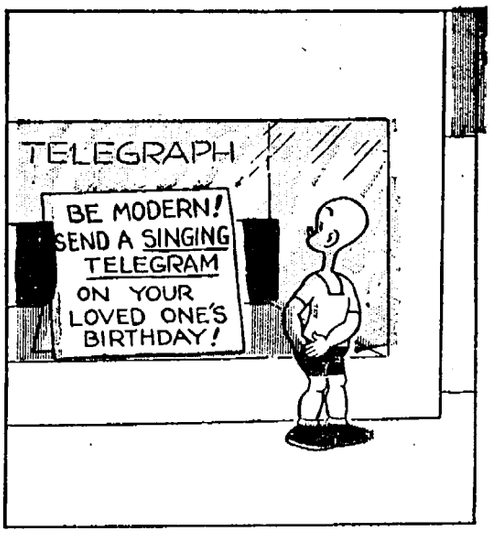

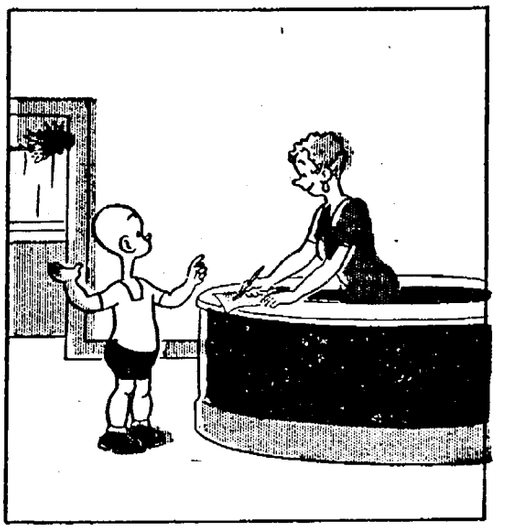

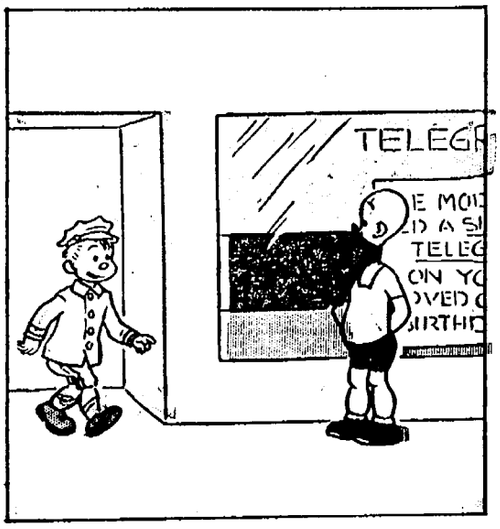

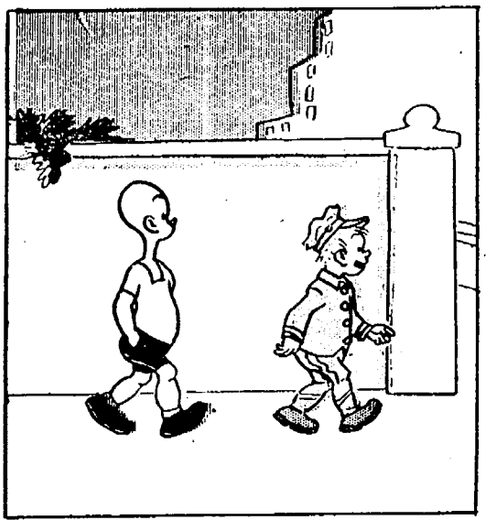

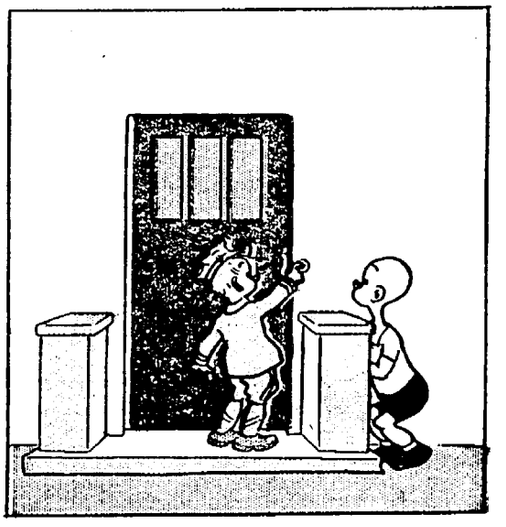

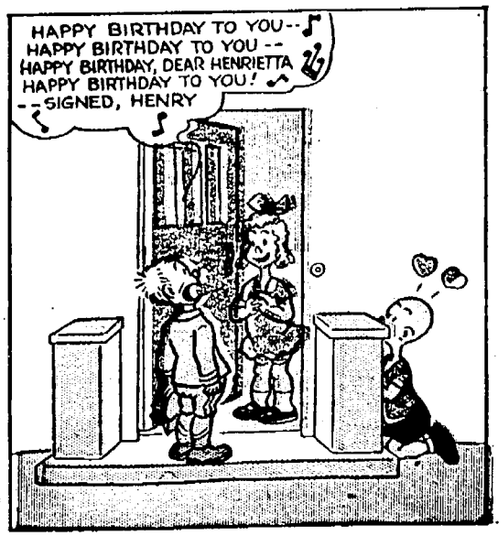

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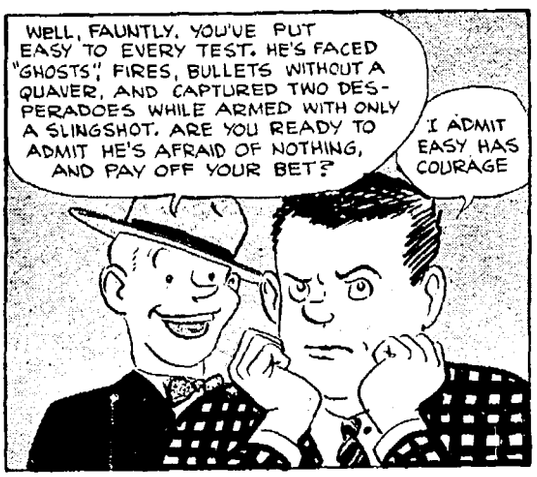

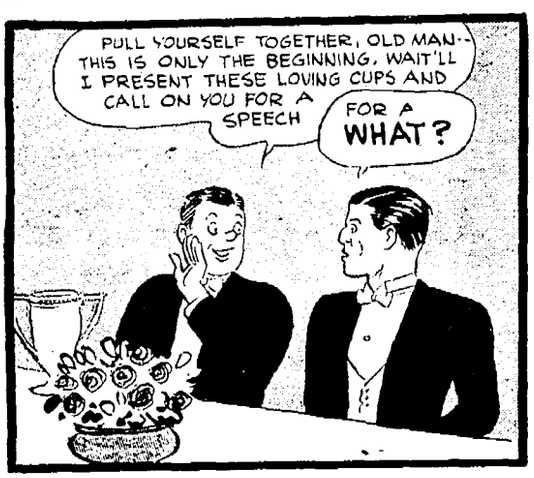

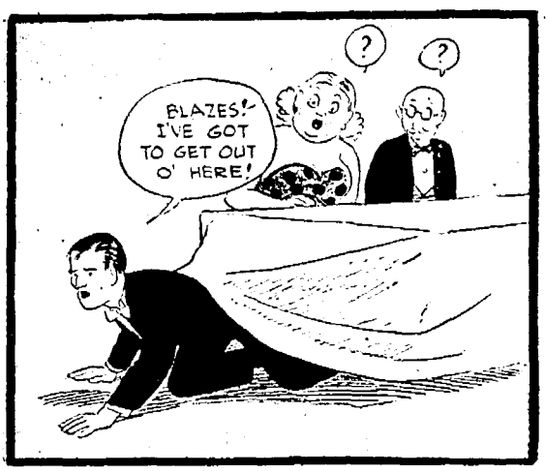

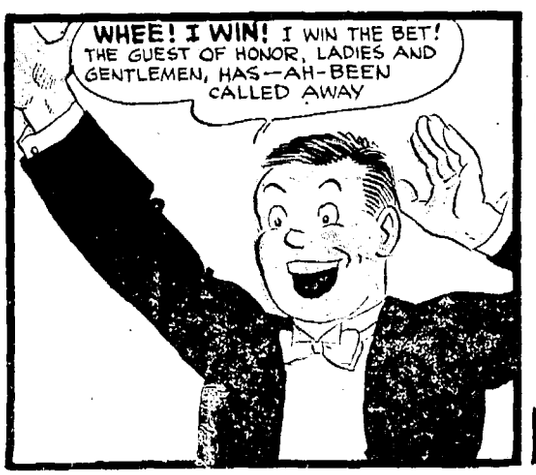

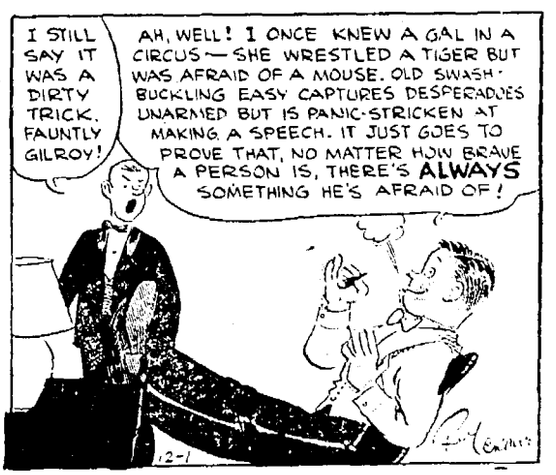

ALLEY OOP

ONLY A MOMENT AFTER SNAPPING ON THE MAGIC BELT, ALLEY OOP VANISHED IN A FLASH OF LIGHT

MY STARS, WHAT HAPPENED TO ALLEY OOP? HE'S GONE!

LOOK! THE TIME-MACHINE IS HOT! WHO CLOSED THAT MAIN SWITCH?

NONE OF US WERE NEAR IT! MAYBE IT WAS THAT MAGIC BELT!

THAT'S IT! DON'T YOU REMEMBER? HE HAD JUST SAID, "I WISH I WAS BACK IN EGYPT"--- AND POUF, HE WAS GONE!

THAT'S RIDICULOUS! THERE'S NO SUCH THING AS MAGIC!

PERHAPS NOT. BUT LOOK AT THE INDICATOR!

BY JOE, BRONSON. IT'S THE CLEOPATRA ERA, RIGHT ON THE NOSE!

BACK IN EGYPT! ✶★!!◎ OF ALL TH' DADGUM PLACES I COULD WISH T'BE IN, I'D HAFTA WIND UP IN THIS FORSAKEN HOLE!

BUT I GUESS I'LL HAFTA MAKE THE BEST OF A BAD SITUATION AN' HEAD BACK TO QUEEN CLEOPATRA'S COURT!

AT LEAST TH' EATS AROUND THERE ARE GOOD, EVEN IF TH' COMPANY AIN'T!

HEY THERE, YOU..... WELL, WELL! IF IT ISN'T THE VERY GUY I'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR! I'D KNOW THAT MUG ANYWHERE!

EH?

...SO YOU'RE A SOLDIER NOW, ARE YOU? HMPH! LAST TIME I SAW YOU, YOU WERE A PRIEST...KINDA HAD OUR CLEOPATRA EATING RIGHT OUT OF YOUR HAND, TOO, DIDN'T YOU?

UMM! TALKIN' YOURSELF INTO TROUBLE, EH? WHO D'YA THINK YOU ARE, ANYWAY?

ME? I'M HOTPUP, CAPTAIN OF CLEOPATRA'S PALACE GUARD AND BEST SWORDSMAN IN ALL EGYPT...AS YOU ARE ABOUT TO LEARN, YOU PHONY! DRAW YOUR SWORD!

SAY, WHAT'S THE MATTER? SICK OF LIVIN'? I DON'T NEED ANY SWORD TO BEAT YOUR EARS OFF-- I CAN DO THAT WITH AN AXE!

BAH! I SAID SWORD, YOU IMBECILE...FIGHT WITH STEEL, LIKE A MAN... NOT WITH STONE, LIKE A SAVAGE!

WELL, ALL RIGHT, IF YOU'RE SO BLASTED CHOOSY ABOUT WHAT KIND OF A GADGET POLISHES YOU OFF!

OKAY, LE'S GO... OW!

HEY, LOOK OUT WHAT YER DOIN' WITH THAT STICKER!

JUST LOOK AT MY ARMOR... A GREAT BIG DENT IN IT!

YOU... YOU DOPE!

V. T. Hamlin

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A SOUR SOUL, I'M HERE TO SHOUT, IS SOONER OR LATER GONNA COME OUT-- IF NOT IN DEED OR MANNER ABOUT, THEN ON THE FACE OF THE CANTANKEROUS LOUT!

THE WEATHER THIS WEEK - BAD FOR REPAINTING THE HANDLE OF THE OLD SNOW SHOVEL

Any youngster — up to 80 years will enjoy the cooling delicious flavor of — **KREE MEE JUMBO CONES** And for a larger order ask for a BUCKET of KREE-MEE. Delicious, Refreshing.

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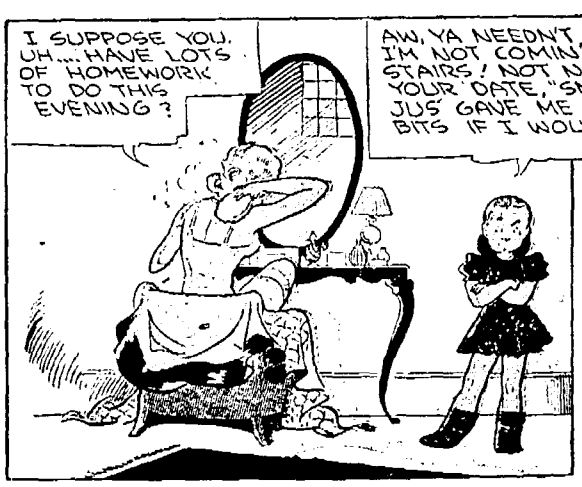
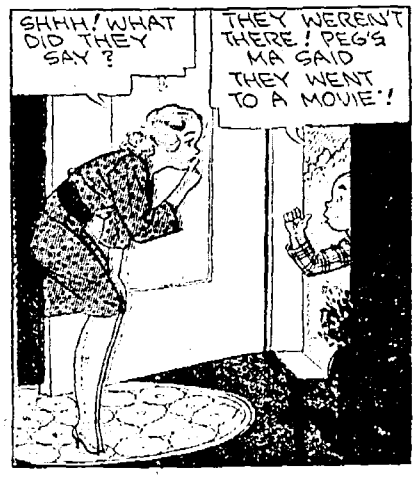
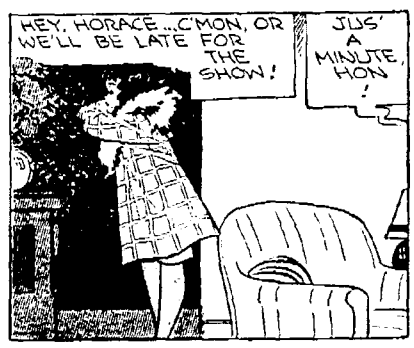
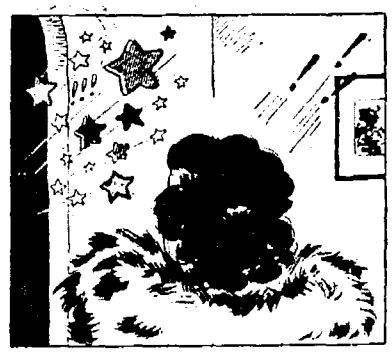
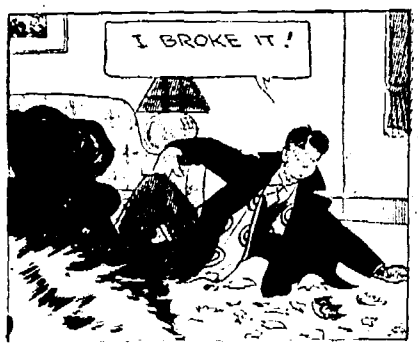




Babe 'n' Horace







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NO, IF THE YANKEE AIRFORCE IN THE CANAL ZONE SHOULD INTERCEPT A RADIO MESSAGE THEY WOULD BE WARNED OF OUR ATTACK!

BUT UNKNOWN TO THE ENEMY, U.S. FIGHTERS ARE ALREADY HIGH IN THE AIR, WATCHFULLY WAITING!

THERE THEY COME! YOU CAN SEE THE MOONLIGHT ON THEIR WINGS!

DIVING STEEPLY THE AMERICANS AIM BOMBS AT THE MONSTER SHAPES BELOW

BOOM!

WE'RE OUT OF BOMBS! AND WE ONLY GOT HALF OF THOSE DEVILS!

IT'S ALL UP TO THE GROUND FORCES NOW! WHY DON'T THEY OPEN UP?

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A FLEET ACTION UNIQUE IN HISTORY

IN DEWEY'S VICTORY AT MANILA BAY IN MAY, 1898, **NOT ONE AMERICAN** WAS KILLED AND EVERY U.S. WARSHIP WEATHERED THE BATTLE IN COMPLETE READINESS FOR ANOTHER!

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BOS'N HAL, Sea Scout ⁘ Earthquake ⁘ By FRANK V. MARTINEK

PURSUED THROUGH AN UNKNOWN CANYON BY THE WHOLE TRIBE OF BLOODTHIRSTY APE-CREATURES, MELVIN HORN'S PARTY IS HOPELESSLY LOSING GROUND

GUESS WE'RE - DONE FOR - AT LAST!!

SUDDENLY SOME STRANGE FORCE THROWS THEM ALL FROM THEIR FEET! HIGH OVERHEAD A SECTION OF THE CANYON WALL COMES CRASHING DOWN.

WOW! AN EARTHQUAKE!!

WE'RE SAVED FROM THOSE BRUTES! THAT ROCK SLIDE CUT 'EM OFF!!

WE'VE GOT TO GET OUT OF THIS CANYON! THERE'LL BE MORE QUAKES!

LOOK! THERE'S OUR ENEMY, DOCTOR CORTEX, UP AHEAD!!

HE DASHED OFF WITH THE PRECIOUS MANUSCRIPT BUT SOMETHING'S STOPPED HIM!

NOW I SEE! THE EARTHQUAKE OPENED A DEEP CHASM AT HIS VERY FEET!

?!?!

SUDDENLY THE EARTH ROCKS AGAIN!

HELP!

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WY-HY-HY-HY!

IT'S THE END OF DOCTOR CORTEX!

TO BE CONTINUED

TOONERVILLE FOLKS

FLEM PRODDY, THE LOCAL INVENTOR

BY FONTAINE FOX

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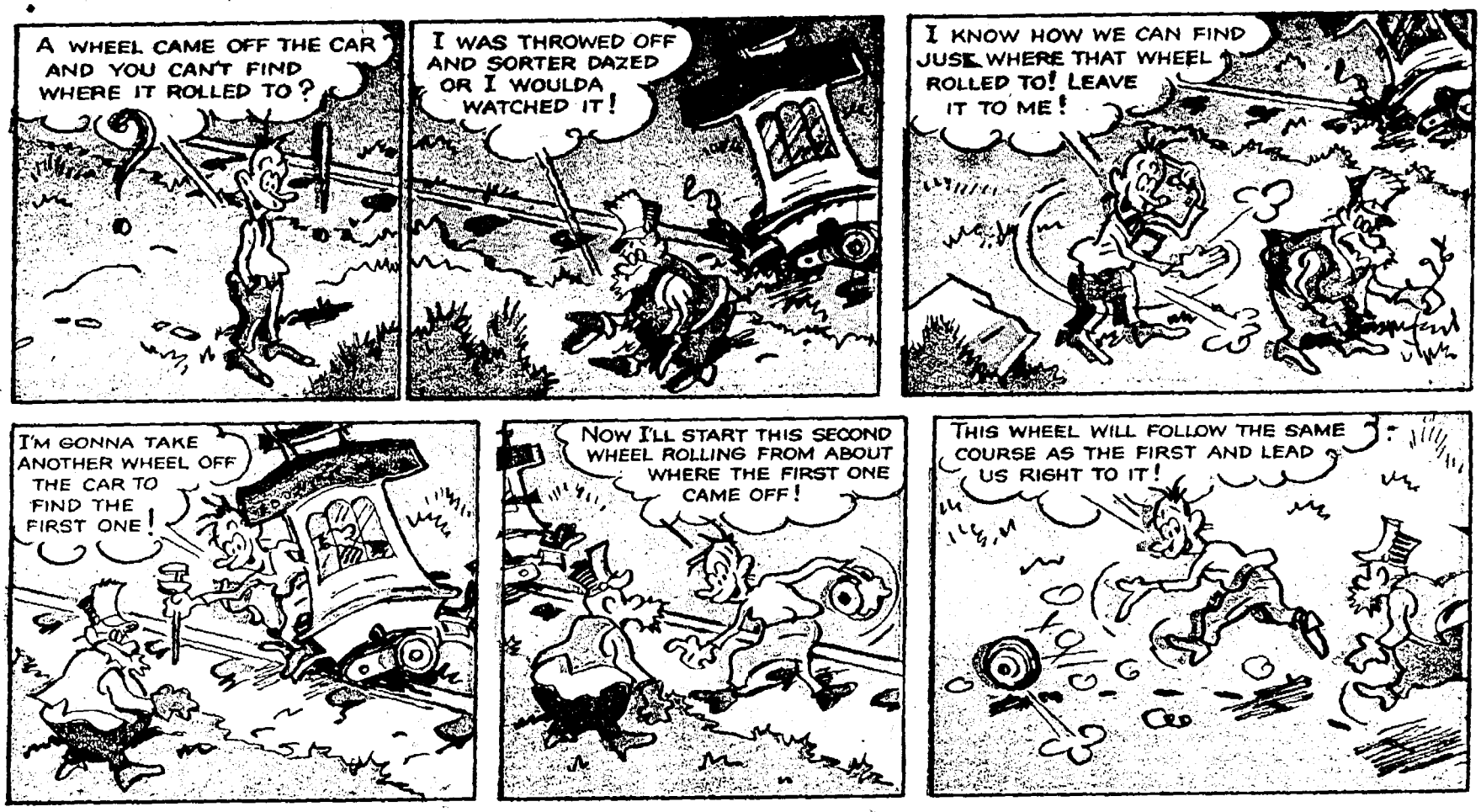

KREE MEE Your children will always ask for KREE Mee ICE CREAM and they can't get too much for their active, healthful young bodies. KREE MEE DOUBLE DIP CONES or 5c BUCKETS will please them. **Double Dip Cones**

LI'L ABNER

by AL CAPP

OLMAN RIVA, THE DOWN-AND-OUT (AND NOT TOO BRIGHT) HINDU MAGICIAN, HAS JUST PLACED PAPPY BEHIND A TABLE-CLOTH, WHISKED THE TABLE-CLOTH ONCE AND PAPPY DISAPPEARED.

BUT OLMAN RIVA DOESN'T KNOW HOW TO BRING PAPPY BACK.

SO **HE** TRIES TO DISAPPEAR.

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Advice fo' Chillan

IT LOOKS CLEAN—I'LL EAT IT WITHOUT WASHING IT!!

HA!-HA!!

HO!-HO!!

WASH AN APPLE BEFO' YOU BITE, FOR THERE MAY BE GERMS QUITE OUT OF SIGHT.... SUBMITTED BY EARL FERREL, OAKLAND, IOWA

GULP!!—WHAR'S PAPPY?

YO' WHISK PAPPY BACK OR AH'LL BOP YO' BRAINS OUT!!

("OH!—A THOUSAND UNMENTIONABLE PLAGUES! THE GREAT SWAMI SHOWED ME HOW TO MAKE CREATURES **DISAPPEAR**—HE, **HIMSELF** MADE A **GOAT DISAPPEAR** WITH THAT VERY **SAME CLOTH** ONLY A **FEW HOURS AGO**—**BUT**—HE NEVER SHOWED ME HOW TO MAKE THEM **APPEAR AGAIN!**")

THAR'S TH' TABLE-CLOTH—AN' HYAR **WE** IS—**A-WAITIN'!!**

("AN UNSPEAKABLE FATE AWAITS ME IF I **FAIL!**")

RIGHT!! **WE IS A-WAITIN'!!**

("INNUMERABLE ATROCITIES WILL DESCEND UPON MY INNOCENT HEAD UNLESS I AT LEAST MAKE A **PRETENSE** OF TRYING TO BRING THAT WORTHLESS LITTLE MOUNTAIN CREATURE THEY CALL **PAPPY**—BACK TO LIFE!")

WE IS A-WAITIN'!!

ABRACADABRA!! ALACAZAM!!! SHUFFLEOFF TO BUFFALO!

("THIS IS THE BEST I CAN DO!!—I MUST THINK FAST AND TALK FAST!!")

GULP! THET HAIN'T PAPPY!!

RIGHT! IT'S MERELY A CHEAP IMMY-TAY-SHUN!

PEASANTS! YOUR PAPPY STANDS BEFORE YOU!!

TSK!-TSK!—YOU ARE SIMPLY SUFFERING FROM THE USUAL EFFECTS OF WITNESSING HINDU MAGIC!—THINGS ARE NOT WHAT THEY SEEM!!—I ADMIT THIS LOOKS LIKE A GOAT!!—I **ADMIT** THAT!!

HE ADMITS THET MAMMY!

WAL, THASS FAIR ENOUGH!

BUT, TAKE MY WORD FOR IT—IT **IS** PAPPY!!—I ADMIT THAT HIS APPEARANCE MAY SEEM SLIGHTLY CHANGED—BUT—IF IT ISN'T PAPPY—WHO ELSE COULD IT BE?

YO' GOT ME, THAR!!—IT WERE PAPPY WHO WERE BEHIND TH' CLOTH BEFO' YO' WHISKED IT!!

SO—(GULP!)—IT MUS' BE HIM THAR NOW. 'CEPT FO' HIS LI'L WHISKERS HIS LOOKS SHO' HAS CHANGED!!

BUT HIS HABITS HAIN'T!!—LOOK, MAMMY—HE DONE GOT INTO THET BARREL O' PRESARVED TURNIPS AN' HE'S CHOMPIN' AWAY JEST AS NATCHERAL AS LIFE!!

THASS PAPPY AWRIGHT!!

("THEY ARE CONVINCED! THIS IS AN IDEAL TIME FOR ME TO LEAVE!")

WISHT PAPPY NEVAH HAD VOLUNTEERED T' STEP BEHIND THET MAGICIAN'S TABLE-CLOTH—IT'S A-GONNA BE POW'FUL HARD T' GIT USED T' HIM IN THIS CONDISHUN!

HE IS YO' PAPPY, SON—AN' (GULP!) YO' IS HIS CHILE, NAME OF LI'L ABNER. YO' MUST TREAT HIM WIF TH' USUAL RESPECK AN' LOVE!!

TO BE CONTINUED—

ABBIE an' SLATS

by Raeburn [illegible]

AN' THE ONLY REASON I AIN'T **REALLY** MESSIN' YOU UP--IS BECAUSE YOU LOOKS HALF DEAD, ALREADY !!!

OUCH !!! HALF DEAD IS KEERECT !!!

G-GOLLY--I'M HUNGRY !!! BUT BECKY, SHE'S HAVIN' A FINE DINNER NOW, I'LL BETCHA--ALL DRESSED UP IN A FANCY GOWN, MEBBE--EATIN' OFFA SOLID SILVER. IT ALL KINDA MAKES IT SEEM--WORTH IT--

WILBERFORCE GROGGINS WAS RIGHT. WITH ME AWAY--HE CAN TAKE BECKY INTO HIS HOME--GIVE HER ALL THE THINGS A GIRL DESERVES--THAT LETTER I WRIT BECKY BEFORE I DISAPPEARED--TELLIN' HER I WAS SICK O'LIVIN' IN CRABTREE CORNERS--WITH HER--THAT'LL MAKE HER KINDA DISGUSTED WITH ME--M-MAKE HER WANTA FORGIT--ME

MEANWHILE

BECKY--THIS IS MY WIFE--- AND THIS IS MY DAUGHTER--- YOUR SECOND COUSIN, LANA. I KNOW YOU TWO WILL HAVE A LOT TO TALK ABOUT!

I'M AFRAID NOT, TONIGHT, DADDY!

I'M FRIGHTFULLY TIED UP THIS EVENING. I HAVE A DATE WITH--AHEM !!! **RANDY HUDDLE !!**

OH--**YES !!** I'VE SEEN HIS PICTURE.!! HE'S THE GREAT FOOTBALL HERO!!--CAPTAIN OF THE YARTMOUTH TEAM!! HE'S **AWFULLY** HANDSOME !!!

YES--MOST GIRLS **DO** GO OFF THE DEEP END ABOUT HIM--JUST AS **YOU'RE** DOING--BUT RANDY IS A MAN OF EXQUISITELY GOOD TASTE. **HE** PREFERS HIS LANA !!

YES, INDEED.!! HE'S QUITE MAD ABOUT LANA! I'M SURE, MY DEAR--AFTER RANDY LEAVES LANA WILL FIND TIME TO HAVE A LITTLE CHAT WITH YOU

OF COURSE.!! WE'LL GET TOGETHER SOME EVENING WHEN I HAVEN'T A DATE. **I ALWAYS** HAVE A DATE

I'LL SHOW YOU TO YOUR ROOM, DEAR. YOU WON'T MIND **STAYING** THERE, WILL YOU-- FOR THE EVENING. RANDY SORT OF LIKES TO HAVE LANA ALL TO HIMSELF YOU KNOW

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OH.!!! I HATE IT HERE.!! IT'S ALL GORGEOUS AND SWANK I KNOW--BUT I WAS SO MUCH HAPPIER IN OUR TUMBLEDOWN LITTLE COTTAGE--JUST POP AND I--AND SLATS COMING AROUND--EVENINGS--

HELLO, BECKY--POP'S **GONE** ?--AND YOU'RE LIVING WITH YOUR COUSINS ON BLUEBERRY HILL ?--**CHEE !!!** THAT'S THE SWELLEST SECTION IN TOWN !!--SURE !! I'LL CALL FOR YOU AT EIGHT---COME THE **BACK** WAY ?--(CHOKE !!) K-KEERECT !!

RANDY !!!

HELLO, LANA--LOOK--**SURPRISE !!!** I BROUGHT MY ROOMMATE, FLAPEARS, ALONG. CAN YOU RUSTLE UP ANOTHER GIRL--FOR HIM ?

THE ONLY GIRL I COULD GET AT **THIS** HOUR WOULD BE MY COUSIN, BECKY. THAT IS--IF **YOU** DON'T MIND, FLAPEARS. SHE'S PRETTY--IN A CHEAP SORT OF WAY.

ANYONE'LL DO. THEY'RE ALL THE SAME TO ME. **NONE** OF 'EM LIKE ME !!!

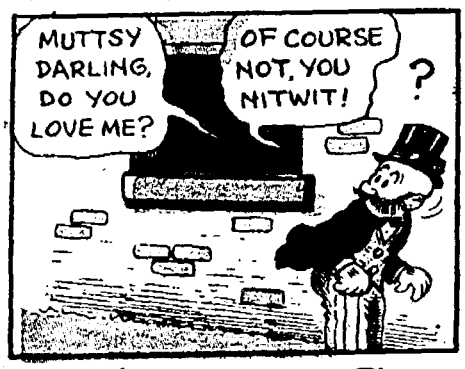
I WOULDN'T SAY THAT, FLAPEARS. YOU'RE ALL RIGHT--IN A REPULSIVE SORT OF WAY!!

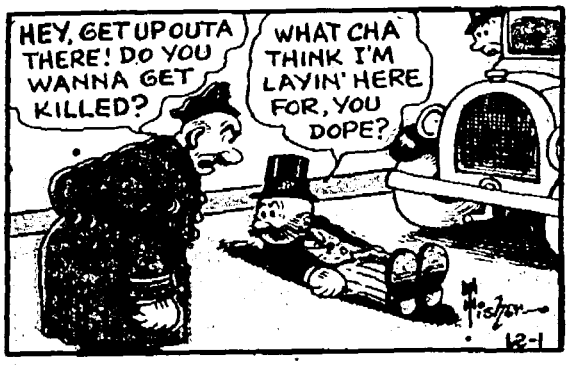
B-BUT--I **HAVE** A DATE TONIGHT---

BREAK IT--I'M ON A SPOT AND YOU OUGHT TO BE **GLAD** OF A CHANCE TO SHOW YOUR GRATITUDE FOR ALL MY DAD IS DOING FOR YOU !!

MUTT & JEFF

By BUD FISHER





CICERO'S CAT

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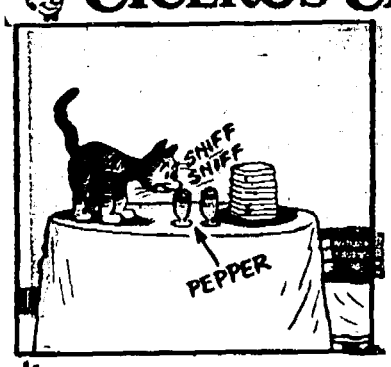

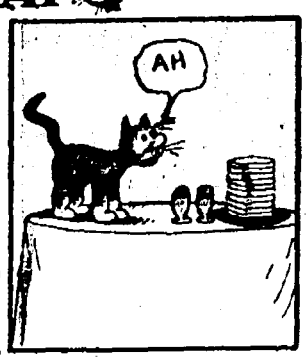

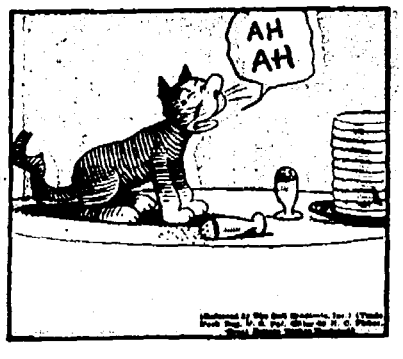

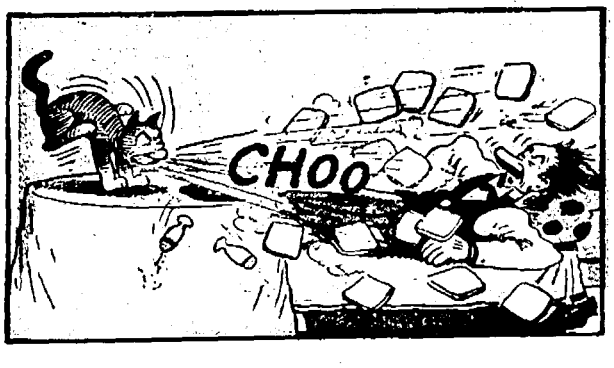

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FLYIN' JENNY

BY- Russell KEATON

JENNY TAKES MRS. RICHMINT AND HER PAMPERED LITTLE SON, CYRIL, UP FOR A FLIGHT TO DEMONSTRATE HER ABILITY AS A PILOT!

OHH-H-H! YOUR LANDINGS ARE POSITIVELY TERRIBLE, MISS DARE!

SORRY, MRS. RICHMINT -- BUT YOUR SON, CYRIL, FLIPPED THE LANDING FLAP SWITCH!

CHASER

I CAN'T SEE HOW A TEENIE WEENIE SWITCH COULD BOUNCE A BIG AIRPLANE LIKE THAT!

AW, MAMA, SHE'S JUST THROWIN' TH' BLAME ON POOR LITTLE ME -- TO COVER UP HER BUM FLYIN'!

WE'LL LET THAT PASS, CYRIL! -- NEXT TIME KEEP YOUR HANDS OFF THE CONTROLS!

THERE WON'T BE ANOTHER TIME, MISS DARE! I'M AFRAID WE CAN'T USE YOUR SERVICES AS PILOT!

MIKE

COME, CYRIL!

ZZZ

HERE'S ONE OF THOSE CHEERFUL LETTERS THE HOSPITAL SENDS ON THE FIRST OF THE MONTH, MR. DAVIS!

LOODIN' JIMINY! A BILL FOR TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS! WHERE'LL I EVER FIND THAT MUCH MONEY?

THAT ACID IN MY EARS AFFECTED MY SENSE OF BALANCE! CAN'T EVEN WALK -- NOT TO MENTION FLYING!

GOLLY! THE HOSPITAL BILL!

RICK DOESN'T NEED A GLOOM SISTER LIKE ME AROUND! THOUGHT I HAD A JOB AND COULD HELP HIM -- B-BUT IT ALL FELL THROUGH!

HA! HA! THAT LITTLE CYRIL GOT YOU FIRED BEFORE YOU WERE HIRED! YOU'RE GOOD, JENNY! TOO GOOD TO BE A FLYING NURSEMAID!

BUT, MR. STARR! I NEEDED THAT JOB!

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I'M MAKING A PLACE FOR YOU IN THE STARCRAFT ORGANIZATION, JENNY!

THAT'S SWELL OF YOU! -- BUT, NO! NO, I COULDN'T ACCEPT THAT! I WANT TO MAKE MY OWN PLACE! I'VE GOT TO HAVE A REAL JOB!

OHH-HH! WHAT TO DO WITH A GIRL LIKE YOU!

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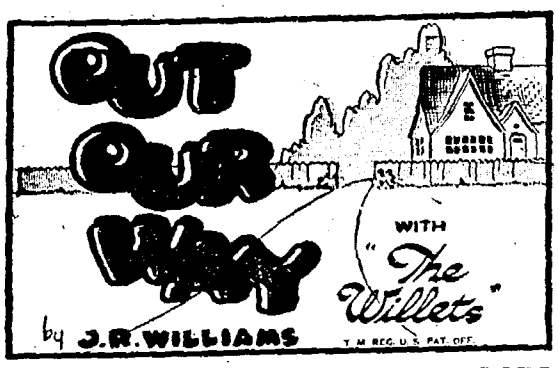
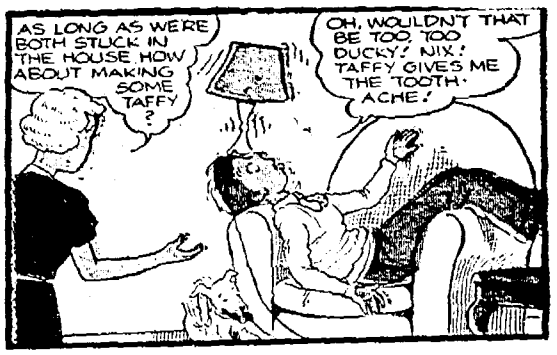
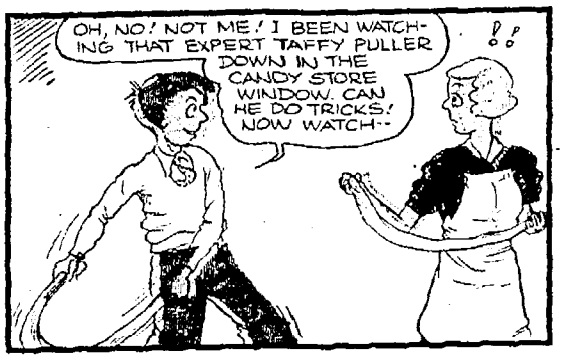
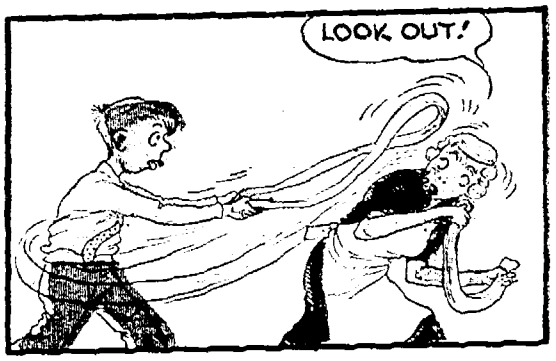


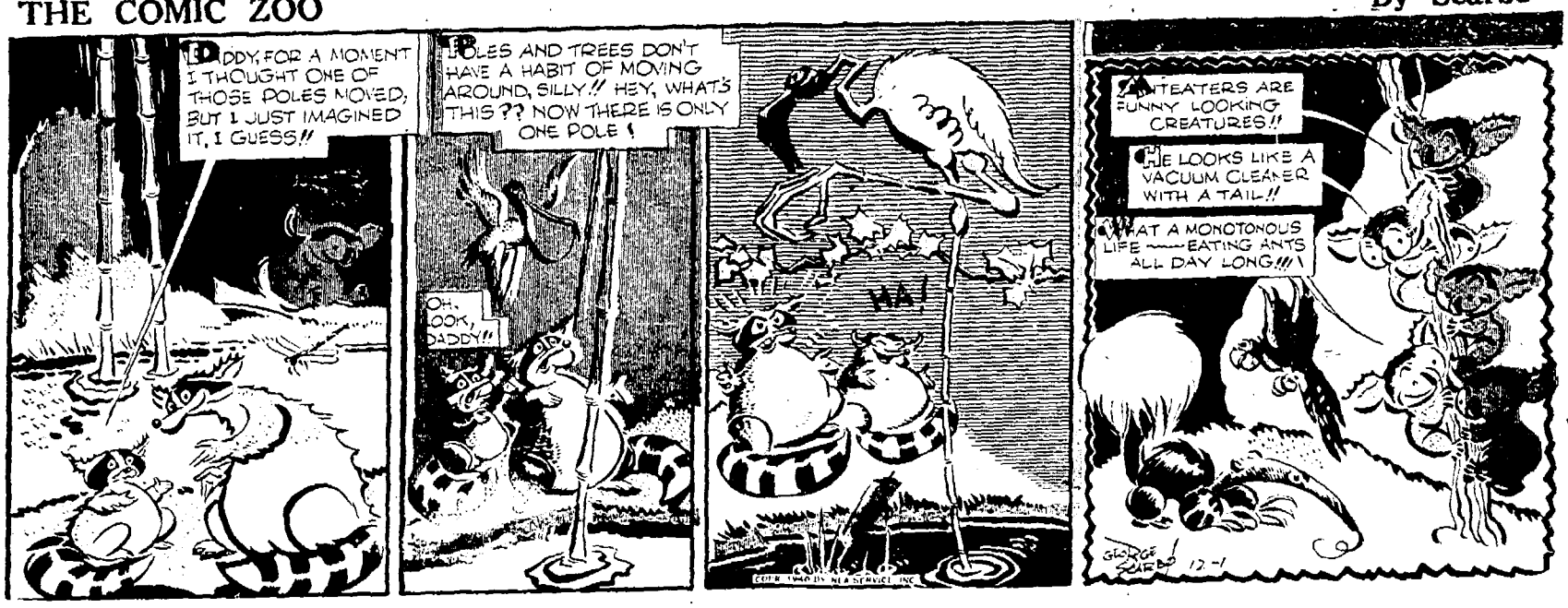






THE COMIC ZOO

By Scarbo



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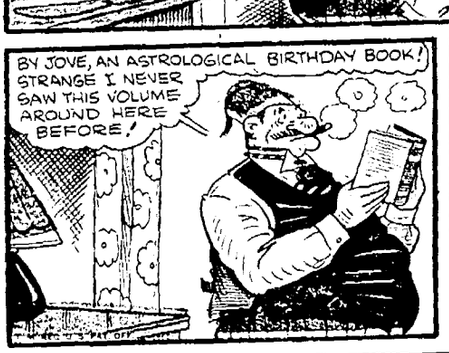
OUR BOARDING HOUSE

MAJOR HOOPLE



You "Aint" Tasted Nothing Till You've Enjoyed a **KREE MEE** THICK MALTED **MILK**

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

by WILLIAM FERGUSON

NINE-TENTHS OF ALL THE LIVING CREATURES ON EARTH ARE *INSECTS!* NOBODY KNOWS HOW MANY SPECIES THERE ARE! AND SEE WHAT THEY'RE DOING TO US!

ANTS IN THE PANTRY BREAK DOWN THE MORALE OF CAREFUL HOUSEWIVES.

MOSQUITO-CARRIED MALARIA GERMS WIPE OUT WHOLE SETTLEMENTS IN THE TROPICS! JUST ONE MOSQUITO CAN SPOIL A DISPOSITION AND A PICNIC.

ZZZZ

THEY SAY INSECTS EAT UP *ONE-TENTH* OF EVERY THING WE RAISE.

WHY DON'T WE JUST *PLANT* NINE-TENTHS OF A CROP?

CLOTHES MOTHS IN OUR BEST WOOLENS ANNUALLY EAT HOLES, WHICH, IF MADE INTO ONE LARGE HOLE, WOULD BE MORE OR LESS THAN THE AREA OF LAKE ERIE.

MY HUNTING SHIRT!

BUT IN SPITE OF ALL THESE THINGS... WE'D *STARVE* TO DEATH IF THERE WERE NO INSECTS TO *POLLENIZE* OUR PLANTS.

FLIES CAUSE US TO BUY MILLIONS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF SCREEN YEARLY...AND STILL THEY POLLUTE OUR FOOD.

TERMITES, ALTHOUGH MORE HONORABLE THAN FIFTH COLUMNISTS, BRING ABOUT DESTRUCTION BY SIMILAR UNDER COVER METHODS.

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

by Blossom

SHUCKS! I WANNA SEE THAT PICTURE, AN' ALL I GOT'S A DIME!

PHOOEY

I DON'T KNOW WHY THE NUMBER OF BEADS IS IMPORTANT, BUT HERE'S A STRING WITH 220!

SWELL! I'LL TAKE IT!

MOM WILL PAY FOR THE TICKETS! I'LL GO ON IN RIGHT NOW.

OKAY!

MY BOY? YOU MUST BE MISTAKEN! I DON'T HAVE ANY CHILDREN!!

!!

YOU SCRAM, KID--- OR ELSE PAY FOR A TICKET!!

I JUST BUSTED A STRING OF BEADS I BOUGHT FOR MY GIRL!

I'LL GET OUTTA HERE AS SOON AS I PICK UP THE BEADS!

YOU SIT RIGHT WHERE YOU ARE! I DON'T WANT YOU DISTURBING FOLKS... I'LL GET THEM!

ATTABOY, TEX--- GIVE 'IM BOTH BARRELS!! YOW!!

THERE WERE EXACTLY 220 OF 'EM. DID YA GET 'EM ALL?

YES....NOW YOU BEAT IT!!

SAY-Y... AREN'T YOU THE KID WHO BROKE SOME BEADS IN HERE LAST WEEK?

UH HUH!

THERE WERE A HUNDRED 'AN' TEN ON THAT STRING....IT ONLY GAVE ME TIME TO SEE HALF TH' SHOW!!

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THIMBLE THEATRE :-: Starring POPEYE

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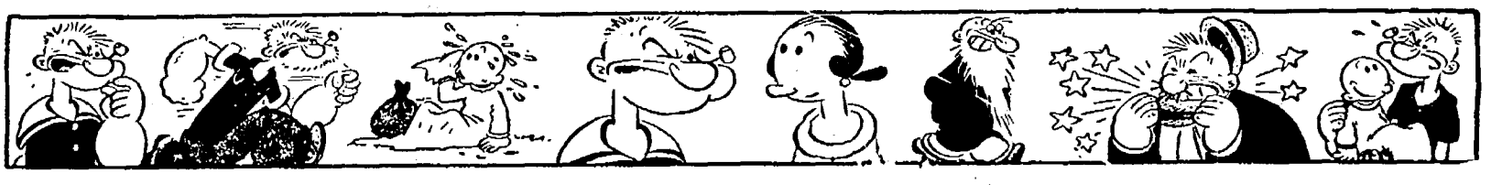

Mary Worth's Family

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"I AIN'T AFRAID O' **GHOSTS!**" I SAYS, AN' STARTED OFF DOWN TH' ROAD! IT WAS DARKER'N A TUNNEL ON THAT ROAD, AN' NOT EVEN A FARM-HOUSE IN SIGHT! AWAY OFF I HEERD A HOUN' DOG BAYIN'..! WOOOOOoo!

GOSH, PEE-WEE! CAN'T BILL BIFF COOK UP TH' **CREEPIEST** STORIES!

YEAH!

MARSH

MY SHADOW RUN ALONG BESIDE ME! IT WAS A **BIG BLACK** SHADOW! ALL AT ONCE I REALIZED THERE WASN'T ANY **MOON**! THAT **WASN'T** MY **SHADOW**! IT WAS SOMETHIN' ELSE..**BIG**... AN' **BLACK**!

BILL!

EE-YOW!...SAY! WHAT'S TH' IDEA OF SLIPPIN' UP BEHIND A PERSON THAT WAY, MARY?

I'M SORRY I STARTLED YOU! BUT I FORGOT TO MAIL THIS LETTER TO **GRANDPA BRAMBLE** IN **FLORIDA**..WOULD YOU STEP DOWN TO THE CORNER WITH IT?

RECKON SO.. WE'LL FINISH TH' STORY LATER, BOYS!

DOGGONE WOMEN! NEVER USE THEIR NOODLES!

UM GOOPH!

W-WHAT'S **THAT**?

BILL! IT'S **ME**! WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH YOU?

DENNIE!

SURE! GRANDMA FORGOT TO **STAMP** THAT LETTER! BUT WHY DID YOU RUN FROM ME? DID I **SCARE** YOU?

SCARE **ME**? WHAT A IDEA! I-UH-ER..I JIST WANTED TO FIND A MAIL-BOX FURTHER **SOUTH**..SO TH' LETTER WOULD REACH FLORIDA **QUICKER**!

-DALE